

## OHIO WEATHER FORECAST

Cold wave tonight and Tuesday with local snow.  
Maximum temperature today, 45 at 9 a. m.; minimum, 44 at noon.

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## RECALL THREAT DEFIED

## Former Lima Man Killed In Toledo

## RAIL WORKER HIT BY AUTO ON STREETS

Thomas Linder Leaving Work As Accident Occurs

## FUNERAL TO BE TUESDAY

Worked Out of Local Yards for More Than 10 Years

Thomas Linder, 38, former Lima resident, was killed almost instantly Saturday at 10:30 p. m. in Toledo when he was struck by an automobile driven by a woman whose name has not been learned.

Linder was employed as a switchman for the B. & O. railroad and had been transferred from Lima to the Toledo yards four years ago. He was riding home from work with a fellow workman and got out of the automobile to catch a street car when the accident occurred.

According to reports, Linder ran around the front of the automobile, directly in the path of a sedan, driven by a woman, and said to be traveling at a high rate of speed. He was thrown a distance of 40 feet to the pavement. Death came 40 minutes later at the East Side Hospital from internal injuries.

He is survived by his mother Mrs. John Schlenker and step father John Schlenker, two brothers Frank F. Linder of Delphos and Clifford, of Flat Michigan, two sisters Mrs. Melvin Arnold of Cleveland and Mrs. Ralph Moore of Ft. Wayne. He is also survived by a half sister Mrs. Arnold Schmelzer of Delphos.

He was a member of the Moose lodge of Lima and the Brotherhood Railroad Trainmen of Toledo. He lived in Lima for 10 years prior to going to Toledo.

His body was brought to Delphos Sunday evening and taken to the home of his mother on W. Sixth-st. Funeral services will take place at the Methodist church at 2 p. m. Tuesday. Interment will be made in the Walnut Grove cemetery.

## BLAST KILLS TWO

Dynamite Packing House Blows Up in Pennsylvania

EMPORIUM, Pa. — (Associated Press) — Two men were killed and two others were injured today when the dynamite packing house of the Hercules Powder Company, two miles from Emporium, was destroyed by an explosion. The dead men were Orville Walker and Charles Mansfield, of Emporium. They were at work at the packing house when the blast occurred. The two injured men were employed in an adjoining building which was damaged.

## 37 MEN DROWNED

Entire Crew Perishes When American Ship Sinks

NEW YORK — (Associated Press) — A list of the 37 men of the United States shipping board steamship Centor, which went down in the Black sea last Thursday with the loss of all on board was made public today by A. H. Bull & Co. which operate the freighter. Among the list was R. Buttler, Willoughby, Ohio.

## MYSTERY PACKAGE BRINGS DEATH TO OHIO MAN

CLEVELAND — A mysterious package delivered Christmas eve proved fatal to John M. Johnson, 26, Garfield Heights.

The package remained unopened all week. Shortly after dinner Sunday Johnson left his wife and daughter reading papers and went to the kitchen. A shot was heard. Mrs. Johnson found her husband lying on the floor with a bullet in his temple. The mysterious package lay beside him. It contained a .33 calibre Remington-Union .38 Smith & Wesson bullet.

## LIMA TO BE "SAHARA" NEW YEAR'S DAY

Lima on New Year's eve will be a veritable Sahara with nary an oasis to drive away the cares of the old year and quench the thirst of revelers planning to watch the old year out and the new year in.

Sheriff Harvey B. Crosson and Police Chief Lanker's cohorts are planning to swoop

down on public gathering and place the lid on tight. Liquor parties must go. Prohibition is to be enforced. This is in substance the edict around the court house and police headquarters, Monday.

Hip pocket "toters" may escape and spread a little New

Year's joy, but shipment of large cargoes of whisky into the city will be under surveillance of deputies and police to be stationed on inter-county highways and along routes of steam and electric traffic.

New Year's day will be ushered in by a general suspension of business throughout the city. Banks, stores and all

public offices will be closed.

All stores with the exception of drug stores will be closed the whole day. Drug stores have agreed to close from noon until 6 p. m. in order that employees can eat New Year's dinner at home.

Both city hall and the court house will be closed and city and county courts will suspend

operations for the day.

Churches throughout the city will celebrate the day. In the Catholic churches both high and low mass will be celebrated and many of the other churches are planning watch-night services.

A concert on the Trinity chimes is scheduled for Tuesday afternoon.

## 'BIG STICK' NEEDED BY COOLIDGE IF HE WINS

Cable Thinks President Must Use One on Congress

## SEES PROGRAM IN DANGER

Then Puts Himself Partially With Insurgent Group

Opposing the president on one of the main national issues and at the same time asserting Coolidge must use the "big stick" on congress to make it do his bidding—that's the position which Congressman John L. Cable of Lima has placed himself.

Cable's letter, which some interpret as classing himself as among those who would be candidates for the "big stick" which he sees necessary, was written to Hoke Donathan of Marion, campaign manager in Ohio for Coolidge. Donathan had addressed a query to the Ohio congressional delegation.

Cable takes the position, in his reply to Donathan, that to assure himself of the Republican nomination and election Coolidge must become another Roosevelt and wield the latter's "big stick" on congress.

"Mr. Coolidge's strength or weakness," writes Cable, "lies in his ability to handle congress. The legislative wheels are jammed. Party unity does not exist in sufficient numbers to put over the President's program as outlined in his message to congress."

"Failure to do this may weaken a Republican majority and weaken the president's position. He must wield a substitute for Roosevelt's big stick and do it promptly."

At the same time Cable classifies himself as among those who are opposing at least part of the administration program by again declaring for the soldier's bonus. He indicates he will vote consistently for the bonus just as he did for passage of the last soldier's bonus bill, and this despite the president's unequivocal opposition to it.

## OHIOAN IS SLAIN

Shot to Death in His Home at Barborton

BARBERTON, Ohio — (United Press) — A large posse of police and citizens scoured swamp lands near here in search for the man who murdered Nick Grossa, 48, as he sat, defenseless, in his home shortly before noon today.

Grossa was talking with the murderer who police knew only by the name of "Alex" when the latter whipped out his gun and fired twice, according to the only witness of the shooting, a woman at whose home Grossa roomed.

## DIVORCE GRANTED

Suit Against Fatty Arbuckle Is Won by Wife

PROVIDENCE, R. I. — (Associated Press) — Minta E. Arbuckle, wife of Roscoe (Fatty) Arbuckle, was granted a divorce in the superior court here today. The case was heard before Justice Chester W. Barrows on deposition and was granted on the grounds of neglect to provide and desertion.

The divorce will be come absolute six months from today.

## MARRIAGE AND DIVORCE INCREASE AT CLEVELAND

CLEVELAND — Marriage and divorce both mounted up during the present year, according to figures compiled today at the court house. While 11,270 couples were being married, which was 1,389 more than in 1922, divorces totalled 3,972, an increase of 189 over last year.

## IT'S SURE SOME ROCK!



H. Nathan of San Francisco has a diamond worth \$100,000. But he doesn't know what to do with it. Just now he's allowing Evelyn Forest to wear it while she's having her picture taken. The costly gem, set with innumerable smaller stones worth \$15,000, originally was given as a decoration to a Persian military officer. Nathan bought it recently.

## AMERICAN SEIZED

Missionary Captured by Bandits in China

PEKING — (Associated Press) — Followers of the notorious bandit leader Lao Yao-Jen captured an American missionary, Mrs. Juliana Kilen, and wounded two other missionaries, Professor Bernhard Hoff and Mrs. Hoff in a raid upon the town of Tsao Yang in northern Hunan province, according to advices received here today.

The American legation has taken active steps to bring about the capture of the brigands and the liberation of Mrs. Kilen. The Chinese government has offered a bounty for the capture dead or alive of the bandit leader.

The three missionaries are representatives of the Church of the Lutheran Brethren of the United States and were conducting a mission at Tsao Yang when the town was raided.

## GIRL IS ARRESTED

Taken As Suspect in Bank Robbery at Fostoria

TOLEDO — (Associated Press) — With the arrest here early today of Miss Alma Krueger, police believe they have captured the woman responsible for the holdup of the Ohio Savings and Loan Co. of Fostoria on December 8, when \$1,333 was stolen.

Miss Krueger's description is said by police to tally with that furnished by the Fostoria police. She is about 30 years old, has bobbed hair and otherwise fitted the description.

With Miss Krueger four others were arrested when their actions while in a flashy sport model car aroused suspicions of officers.

A search of the car revealed two loaded revolvers which two of the men tried to hide when apprehended.

TRIAL DATE SET  
TOLEDO — Date for the trial of 25 residents of Lima including Mayor Adolph Unger, all of whom are charged with conspiracy to violate the national dry law, has been changed from January 14 to January 15, it was announced at the federal building here today.

SLAIN BY BANDIT  
NEW YORK — Bernard Brown, a Bronx jeweler, today was shot and killed by a bandit when he refused to open his safe.

## Not Present At His Own Funeral

GALLIPOLIS, — (United Press) — Funeral services of Robert Lewis, 18, negro, proceeded on schedule time until it was discovered Lewis was not present at his own burial rites.

Services were stopped after friends and relatives found the body in the coffin sent here from Columbus was not that of Lewis, who was shot Christmas Day at the Ohio capital and died later.

## WOMAN IS SLAIN

Atlanta Resident Is Shot by Daughter-in-Law

ATLANTA, Ga. — (United Press) — "I loved my mother and regret her death, but I believed in my wife and am sure she believed she was acting right when she shot mother."

This was the statement today of Frank Hughes whose wife shot and killed his mother while she waited outside in an automobile late yesterday.

"I shot to relieve Frank of his burden," said Mrs. Hughes.

Mrs. M. C. Hughes was searching a trunk in her son's home when the shooting occurred. She was accompanied by two police officers who had gone with her to serve a possession warrant. The policemen immediately took Mrs. Hughes into custody on a charge of murder.

Officials said the possession warrant had been issued to Mrs. Hughes when she complained she had left her son's home and that a number of articles of clothing and other valuables were at the house.

## DEATH IS PROBED

Baby of Ohio Postmaster Found in Burning Store

POINT PLEASANT, Ohio — (United Press) — Mystery still shrouded today the death of J. B. Winspear, 50, postmaster of Point Pleasant and prominent merchant, who was found lifeless in his burning store yesterday.

A bullet had pierced his head near the mouth.

## MERCURY 40 BELOW IN WAKE OF SNOWSTORMS

Northwest Hard Hit by Blizzards, Sending Cold Wave Eastward—Heavy Drop Due In Ohio Tonight—Steamer Wrecked Off Pacific Coast

WASHINGTON — (Associated Press) — The great cold blast from Alaska today had overspread the Rocky Mountain and Northern Plains regions, the Plains states, the Missouri Valley and the interior of the West Gulf states, with zero temperatures as far south as the Texas Pan-Handle.

It was 20 degrees below zero at many points in the northwest and at Yellowstone Park, Wyo., 34 degrees below was registered.

A disturbance over Lake Erie, the weather bureau, will move northward attended by general precipitation over the states east of the Mississippi river and it will be followed by decidedly colder weather.

Cold wave warnings have been issued for western Pennsylvania, Ohio, West Virginia, Kentucky, Tennessee, Alabama, Mississippi, South Carolina, Northwest Florida, Western North Carolina and extreme Western Virginia.

Snow is predicted during the next 48 hours for nearly all of the east and parts of the southeast.

SAN FRANCISCO — (Associated Press) — Lowering temperatures symbolized the waning energies of the dying year through the Pacific northwest early today, freezing weather being reported from nearly all points and zero or below from points east of the Cascade mountains.

Yesterday storms along the coast had their reaction in delayed shipping and in exceptional cases shifting of damaged cargoes. A Pudget Sound steamer was torn from her moorings and wrecked near Seattle.

From the Cascades to the Rockies, a slight fall of snow was held on the ground by the freeze this morning. Eastern Washington reported less than two inches with a little more with about six inches around Pendleton, Western Washington and Oregon where snow seldom is seen.

Lower temperatures were reported from Montana, spreading into Wyoming, Colorado and Western Nebraska. Mercury at 25 below zero or lower was reported at Helena, Harve, Georgetown, Butte, and Great Falls. Mont. Butte, Springs reported an average of 40 degrees below in that vicinity. The drops in each case were sudden, ranging as high as 62 degrees in 24 hours.

Wyoming sheep and cattle raisers are reported to have suffered heavy losses by the extreme cold and heavy snow. A strong wind drifted the snow and made most roads impassable, while at Missoula, Mont., the wind blew in plate glass windows and broke down telegraph wires.

BLIZZARD IN SOUTHWEST  
KANSAS CITY, Mo. — (United Press) — An old-time blizzard swept across Kansas plains and other sections of the southwest today, delaying trains and demoralizing wire communication.

Snow fell during the night, swept by a gale which reached 50 miles an hour.

Mercury dropped close to zero. Stock raisers were forced to find shelter for their animals and feed was in demand. Farmers were well prepared, however, as the season until the present storm, has been mild and they were early to conserve feed.

Snow which fell early in the evening afforded some shelter for the wheat from freezing temperatures. However, as the snow drifted considerably many fields were swept bare.

FLARE FROM FLOOD  
PARIS — (United Press) — Hundreds of persons evacuated their homes during the night as rising waters of the river Seine inundated new districts of Paris, Nanterre, St. Denis and Issy.

The river rose eight inches since midnight.

## ELLIS JONES TO WELCOME AN ELECTION

Commissioner Throws Down Gauntlet Before Politicians

## PUBLIC'S VERDICT WAITED

Many Letters Approve Stand on Retention of Bingham

City Commissioner Ellis Jones Monday morning threw down the gauntlet to those politicians who are threatening to bring a recall election against him if he votes to continue C. A. Bingham as city manager.

"I welcome a recall election against me on the issue that I voted to keep Clarence A. Bingham in the job of city manager for 1924," declared Jones. "I reiterate now what I have said before in The News, namely that I shall vote against every effort made to oust Bingham. We need him and his experience more right now than ever before and the business and professional men the banking interests, manufacturers, home builders and workers of the city who are doing some thinking realize this fact."

## MANY LETTERS

Commissioner Jones then produced a stack of letters from men and women in all walks of life, telling him to stand pat on his oft repeated declaration that he would vote to the bitter end to keep Bingham.

"If politicians want to make political capital out of a threat to recall me because I vote for Bingham, as was hinted in a paper other than the News, I welcome an election on that issue," said he.

One thing in the threat, as reported in another paper, that is bringing a huge laugh to everybody who has read the threat, is this—to petition for the recall of Jones, because he voted for Bingham's retention, and not petition to recall Mayor Cunningham, who has stated with equal positiveness that he will vote for Bingham's retention, would reveal, they say, that the whole thing is either a last desperate effort of gang politicians to try and gain control of city hall or is one gigantic bluff.

"How any group of men could constantly petition for the recall of Jones because he voted for Bingham and also insist upon the recall of Mayor Cunningham, or the same reason, is more than I can see," said Commissioner John A. Harley, who retired Monday night from the city commission.

"ABSDURD" SAYS JONES  
Jones himself says the threat as one of the most absurd political propositions that he ever heard of. "To recall me because I voted for Bingham," he said, "is an insult to their intelligence, to talk about recalling me for voting for Bingham, and never making any effort to recall any other commissioner is a farce."

It is to laugh were it not for the fact that those who make the threat must think Lima voters have no brains. Lima people know that if one commissioner is recalled for any reason, it is a logical thing and only that one thing should be subjected to the same treatment."

Evidence continued to pile Monday morning that Bingham will have three votes for his retention. In fact the pressure of public sentiment in all quarters of the city is becoming such that there is a general belief that no motion for his dismissal will be made.

But the question of a salary cut to try and force him down the back yard coal chute and thus pave the way for a practical politician and the wrecking of the city manager as a commission form of government, is one that is uncertain. That Commissioner-elect Moyer and Reukla will make some effort to force a drastic cut in the city manager's salary in an effort to force Bingham's resignation appears to be a foregone conclusion, say the politicians.

## PROTEST IS FILED

Mexican Rebels Objects to U. S. Aid to Oregon

WASHINGTON — (Associated Press) — The De La Huerta faction in Mexico today filed with the state department a formal protest against the plan of the United States to war materials to the Mexican rebels.

## GREETINGS WILL COST \$300,000

Executive Plans Made to Welcome the New Year

NEW YORK — (Associated Press) — The welcome of 1924 which will be tendered at the threshold of Broadway at midnight tonight will have cost 50,000 revellers something like \$300,000 for the mere privilege of extending their greetings.

Special squads of prohibition agents, some of them understood to be from Washington, were listed in cognito among the 50,000 holding reservations in cabarets, hotels and clubs.

The number of reservations, most of them made at \$5 each but many at from \$7 to \$20 and a few at even more, was one of the biggest in Broadway's memory and the amount of gold which will flow along the great white way is expected to surpass the stream of some pre-prohibition New Year's celebrations. Hotel managers and federal agents said it would be a dry welcome, but there was some difference of opinion on this point.

A big seizure of New Year's liquor was made yesterday on the south shore of Long Island by prohibition agents. Eight men were arrested and liquor valued at \$20,000 confiscated.

Efforts are being made in the city to halt the flow of poison liquor that caused the death of eleven persons and the serious illness of more than 225 since Christmas eve.

## TRAIN IS DERAILED

Many Passengers Shaken Up in B. & O. Wreck

CINCINNATI — (Associated Press) — According to a report to local Baltimore and Ohio offices here today, the Baltimore and Ohio fast passenger train from New York to Cincinnati, en route here at 8:05 a. m., was derailed 12 miles west of Zanesville, Ohio. According to the information received here hundreds of passengers on the train were shaken up but no one was seriously injured.

The locomotive tender, two mail, two baggage cars and two coaches and four Pullmans were derailed.

The derailment, the report said, was due to the track being washed out by heavy rains. At the time the train was proceeding at slow speed, and this probably averted a more serious accident.

## 54 KILLED BY AUTO IN MONTGOMERY-CO

DAYTON — Fifty-four persons were killed by automobiles in Montgomery-co this year. Nineteen of these met death in Dayton.

Collisions between trains or street cars and automobiles, claimed 22 victims. Twenty-six pedestrians were killed by automobiles and 16 were killed in automobile wrecks. Five hundred and four persons were injured in accidents due to all causes. Of these 198 were pedestrians run down by motorists. Collisions between automobiles here in 1923.



## CONGRESS FACES LONG STRUGGLE

Political Strife Begins when Session Opens Thursday

### TAX BATTLE COMES FIRST

Deadlock in the Senate Is Still Unbroken

(BY PAUL R. MALLON)

WASHINGTON—(United Press)—Congress returns this week to a new year that promises little but strife and political struggle.

When the two houses take up their work on Thursday, the situation they will face, as to the principal legislation of the season is this:

#### TAX REDUCTION

The house ways and means committee is to begin hearings immediately with prospects that the bill will be reported within six weeks. Democrats in the senate have drawn a bill which may be pressed as the official Democratic substitute.

#### RAILROADS

Senate deadlock over the chairmanship of the interstate commerce committee continues. Smith, Democrat, will be elected unless sufficient Democrats are "late" returning from their Christmas vacations. In this case, Cummins, the regular Republican, will win. Work to repeal the Esch-Cummins law will be undertaken early.

#### FARM RELIEF

Nothing in sight in either house.

#### RUSSIAN RECOGNITION

Senator Borah will be appointed chairman of a special subcommittee of the senate foreign relations committee immediately to "find the truth" about alleged circulation of supposed "red" propaganda in the United States. Hearings will be begun before the end of January and state department witnesses will be called first to present their charges against the soviets upon which Secretary Hughes based his refusal of recognition to Russia.

#### BONDS

Will be rushed thru as early as possible in both houses. May be made a rider to the tax reduction bill to forestall a veto. No hearing will be held. Impartial senators and observers believe that it will not pass over a presidential veto.

#### PROHIBITION

The light wines and beer bloc is planning a campaign of speeches before the senate until the tax reduction bill or the bonus comes over from the house. A big political "blow" composed of presidential candidates and their followers will be on the road half the time making speeches and many attacks are being planned from the floor. The senate will be the principal political forum for the next six months.

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#### KU KLUX KLAN

Senate hearings on charges that election of Senator Earl B. Mayfield, of Texas, violated election laws will begin within a week. Hearings will be drawn out and it is doubtful whether final action can be attained for use in the presidential campaign. The Ku Klux Klan is the real issue in this case.

## EXILES ORGANIZE IN NEW YORK

Province of Russia Set Up in American Metropolis

NEW YORK—(Associated Press)—New York boasts foreign colonies from all the countries of the globe, but few New Yorkers know that within the confines of their great metropolis there exists an organized "province" of the Russia of the Czar, firmly knit and efficiently directed by a governor general and a staff of peace.

The province has no boundaries. Its headquarters shift weekly from one east side meeting hall to another. Its exchequer is oftentimes barren, but the hearts of its citizens are rich in faith that some day they will again live on the soil of the Russia of their fathers.

Several hundred Russian men and women, driven out of their homeland by the Soviets and held together by the provincial government, formed the provincial government. Many of the exiles had noble titles, others were officials of old Russia. Now many of them are day laborers and few are affluent.

#### MEET TUESDAY NIGHT

Each Tuesday night they meet in a rented hall and revive memories of their days in Moscow and Petrograd. There are Russian songs and Russian dancing, speeches, poems, an anecdotes.

The governor general is in charge. His staff constitutes a reception committee. Two generals laboriously draw up the curtains. Another former army officer is accompanist at the piano.

The scenes bring the audience back to the great opera house in Petrograd, to receptions in the homes of the upper classes. Then an elocutionist recites poems, describing the downfall of the old life, and a hush of bitterness and sadness falls over the listeners.

But the sadness is dispelled when the lieutenant governor imitates two old Babushshki in Constantinople describing the splendors of New York. Their roseate misconceptions of the new world make the hearers rock with laughter. Then the "province" disbands and its members go back to the far and dreary reality of their lives in New York.

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## NEW LINE



To establish a new Belgian steamship line, Joseph A. Nash, manager for a big company, went to Belgium to confer with bankers of that country. Photo snapped on his return.

## SERMON DEFENDS "VIRGIN BIRTH"

Lima Pastor Denies Attempt to Dispute Teaching

"Physical science has no right to dogmatize the religious principles," Rev. Victor A. Smith told the congregation at Christ's church, Episcopal, Sunday morning.

This statement was made in a sermon on the present tendency of modernists to deny the statement that Christ was of virgin birth. Rev. Smith defended the case from two principal viewpoints, the scripture, and the inability of scientists to dogmatize upon beliefs of the church.

The text of the sermon was taken from St. Luke 1:35. "That is the scripture basis for the defense," Rev. Smith said. "For people who deny the possibility of a miracle, the Virgin Birth of Christ means nothing. The people should take the evidence as it stands and weigh it as they would any evidence and from that draw the proper conclusion, he added.

"Only two Gospels mention the subject, they are St. Matthew and St. Luke," he said. "The former relates the tale from Joseph's point of view and the latter from Mary's point of view. These two arguments are not contradictory, but supplementary. The silence of the other Gospels is no indication of knowledge of it, and it might be assumed that it was not mentioned in those last written because the people of the time were not so critical as many of the modernists," he concluded.

"Even in Christ's own country, the people were ignorant of the details surrounding the birth, and in any case they would have been incapable of understanding a point of such delicacy," Rev. Smith said. "The scientific objection is that the Virgin Birth is a violation of natural law. But what is the rule in biology? It is that a species must produce a like species, and it must therefore follow that in human generation the child of human parents would be human," he said.

"Christ was unique, therefore what better way is there to save it than to assume that beautiful story of Virgin Birth? What right has physical science to dogmatize religious principles? A preacher dogmatizing in politics is pathetic, but a scientist dogmatizing in religion is merely irritating. There are many things which scientists have not found, one of the most important of which is the workings of God," he concluded.

The evidence for the Virgin Birth stands scripturally, it is authentic. The two accounts reflect the belief of the whole church in all ages beginning from the immediate followers of Jesus himself.

## TED TAKES LAST SHOT AT ENEMY

"Today's my last chance at R'er Rabbitt, and I've me I've stopped chasing him just long enough to write my daily piece for the paper and pay my respects to the weather man." So mused Ted as he spent the day in the woods and fields with his gun, getting up at daylight so as not to miss a minute of the open season.

"That weather man sure is a persistent optimist," says Ted. "He's still predicting that cold wave and now says he's sure it's coming for Monday night and Tuesday. By the way, what I said yesterday about snow was just a dream I had. In case you didn't notice it we had our daily rain last night."

#### JOHNSON OPENS FIGHT ON "MACHINE RULE"

CLEVELAND.—Hiram Johnson this week will carry his fight on "machine rule" into Ohio, where Republican leaders have endorsed President Coolidge to succeed himself.

The California senator wants a share of the state's 51 votes in the Cleveland convention. He enters Ohio, however, facing a strong pro-Coolidge organization. It includes such powers within the party as Attorney General Taft, Rudolph W. Nickerson and Bob Wolfe.

In a letter to his Cleveland manager, State Senator George H. Bonder, Senator Johnson said he hopes that on January 3, he can begin a campaign "to convince our opponents that no special privilege, press or private exploiting interests or politicians for self can deliver the state of Ohio."

Johnson's Cleveland address will be delivered Thursday at Masonic Auditorium.

## HUME GETS MANY PRICE CUTS

Report Shows How He Handled 1169 City Requisitions

1808 ORDERS ALSO ISSUED

Amounts Range From 25 Cents to \$11,970 During 1923

Frank H. Hume, city purchasing agent, in 1923 handled 1,169 formal requisitions from department heads for municipal supplies, issued 1,808 formal orders on merchants and manufacturers for the filling of requisitions and purchased innumerable other things, according to a brief synopsis of the year's work which he made Monday forenoon.

The largest single requisition was for 450 tons of sulphate aluminum costing \$11,970 for the water department, while the smallest single requisition was for a tube patch costing 25 cents. One of the largest single requisitions was for the automobile tank flusher, costing \$5,875.20, and another was for the year's coal supply, amounting to \$3,700. In this case by spending \$4 for telephone calls Hume got the price cut \$900 so that he actually paid only \$7,800 for the coal instead of the \$8,700 for which the requisition called.

#### GETS PRICE CUTS

Analysis of the requisitions and purchasing orders reveals that after department heads made a requisition the city purchasing department later got the same thing from the same firm for less money than the price quoted to the department head.

In discussing this phase of his work Hume said: "It invariably happened that where a department head got one price this department was later able to get a lower price from the same dealer. These differences between prices quoted department heads and those quoted the purchasing department ranged from 50 cents to \$2 per article and in the year has amounted to considerable money." Examination of requisitions and the purchase orders bears out the major's statement.

#### OTHER PURCHASES

Under the regulations governing the department, articles costing less than one dollar are usually paid for out of the petty cash fund and require no requisition, Hume said.

He also said the 1,808 purchasing orders do not cover all the buying because in cases where the city had actually received the article, as in cases of emergencies, no purchasing order was issued, but a voucher was used instead and a receipt from the department head getting the article attached to the voucher. The annual purchases, therefore, run far ahead of the amount indicated by the requisitions and the purchase orders.

Hume also pointed out that each requisition contained from one to nine different articles, often all of them purchased from different stores, with an average of four items for each requisition. On this basis he figures 4,676 articles were purchased thru requisitions besides all the articles on vouchers and thru cutting of red tape to meet emergency cases. Miss Margaret McNeiff, clerk in the office of the purchasing agent, has charge of the filing of requisitions and purchase orders and by noon Monday, under her handling, the requisitions had been filed completely. Hume speaks highly of her work and her strict attention to business.

#### SALOONS CURB SELVES.

WETS WIN BIG VICTORY

SYDNEY, N. S. W.—The overwhelming victory of the "wets" in the recent election at Queensland, wherein the voters in favor of continuance more than doubled their majority over the election of 1920, is directly attributed to the fact that the liquor trade, or public houses, voluntarily consented to a curtailment of hours in which their places of business were kept open.

Until recent amending legislation was passed the bars kept open from 6 a. m. until 11 p. m. There were three issues in the election—abolition, state control and continuance. The campaign was unprecedentedly bitter because, under the recently amended legislation, it was the last poll that would have prohibition as an issue.

The result was more than usually uncertain because compulsory voting, which was applied to a liquor poll for the first time in Australia, introduced an unknown quantity into the factors to be counted on.

Shortly before the poll, however, the liquor contingent voluntarily submitted to the curtailment of hours from 17 to 12 daily. The bars agreed to open at 8 a. m. and close at 8 p. m. This reform had a profound effect on public opinion, and the result was a clean sweep for prohibition.

The Oberlin Alumni Glee Club will entertain as guests the Glee Club members from Wapakoneta, Bluffton, St. Marys and Delphos, Wednesday, at the Hotel Barr. Dinner will be served at six. Following the banquet the club will then go to Trinity M. E. where a concert will be given under the auspices of the alumni of this district.

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## BROTHERS MEET AFTER 60 YEARS



BELOW—A. A. DALTON. SALT LAKE CITY—(Special)—The Dalton brothers—A. A. and Joseph A., both well above the 60 mark—are just beginning to get acquainted.

ABOVE—JOSEPH A. DALTON. Although they always have lived only a few miles apart, they met for the first time the other day.

And here is how the reunion was effected.

R. J. Adler, a Salt Lake salesman and brother-in-law of Joseph A. Dalton, 63, of this city, was out in Sandy, a Salt Lake City suburb, calling upon prospects. And one of those he happened to see was A. A. Dalton, who admits 65 years.

#### NOONDAY MEETING

Adler asked Dalton of Sandy if he was any relation to Dalton of Salt Lake City. And Dalton of Sandy ventured that he did have a brother named Joseph A. Dalton, whom he never had seen.

"Maybe the Salt Lake Dalton is my brother," he said. "Well, replied Adler, 'he's my brother-in-law.'"

Adler arranged the meeting. It occurred during a noonday court intermission while Joseph A. Dalton was serving on a jury.

#### FEW RAILROADS THEN

Here is the story Joseph had to tell. "My sister was keenly disappointed when I was born, because I wasn't a girl. So mother told sister she could rear me. In 1875, when she moved to Montpelier, Idaho, she took me with her."

But his brother's story was even briefer.

"When I was a baby," he related, "Father moved to Springfield, and took me along. I grew to manhood in that part of the state, and after ward moved to Sanpete-co.

For we had to depend almost entirely on horses and oxen, for there were 'No body traveled much those days, few railroads. So I guess that's how we lost trace of each other."

But now the Dalton brothers are making up for lost time. They are visiting one another just as often as they can.

## FINANCIAL CRASH OF BOY WIZARD PROBED

CHICAGO—(United Press)—Investigators working under State's Attorney Robert A. Crowe today questioned a score of witnesses in connection with the financial crash of Kurt R. Beak, "boy wizard" of LaSalle-st.

Beak, admitting that his personal finances "are on the rocks" told authorities "the firm which bears his name is solvent and can meet all claims of creditors. More than a score of investors, however, testified the "lost" approximately \$1,000,000.

Beak was head of the Kurt R. Beak Co., real estate dealers. He earned the name of the "boy wizard" because of recent spectacular deals in Chicago's financial district.

FIGHT PAPER TRUST VIENNA—Publishers of Vienna newspapers have appealed to the government for relief from the paper trust. They declare they are paying 50 per cent more than before for the war for newspaper, which with the cost of labor places them in a precarious position.

ENGLISH GAINS IN MANILA MANILA—A total of 534 candidates recently took the bar examination tests in this city, and more than 270 asked that the examinations be given them in the English language. This is the highest English percentage ever recorded. Only 196 candidates passed the tests.

## NATIONS LEAGUE MAKES PROGRESS

Now Definitely Established, Says American Correspondent

SETTLES EUROPEAN AFFAIRS

New Fields of Activity Open Up to the Body

(B HENRY WOOD)

GENEVA—(United Press)—The year just closing marks the definite establishment of the League of Nations as one of the most important factors in world-wide economic reconstruction.

Altho the League was founded primarily for the purpose of insuring and maintaining world peace, League members have learned that other fields of activity are absolutely imperative in order to render effective the league.

This depends upon the following situation. First of all, as a result of the last great war in which the leading European nations have been both white and impoverished for probably fifty years to come, it is likely to be a long time before the league will be called in to play its great role of peace-maker.

In the second place, even when the world gets back on a normal basis, war threats are not so common as to keep the league busy all the time.

As a consequence, other fields of activity sufficient to warrant the maintenance and effectiveness of the league organization when the moment to prevent war shall come are absolutely imperative.

Two such fields have already been laid down, namely, humanitarian and economic reconstruction. During the first three years of the league's existence its attention was given largely to the humanitarian field. The conditions following the great war were such that the intervention of some great organization like the league was absolutely imperative in order to alleviate human suffering.

#### HUMANITARIAN PROBLEMS

The league tackled such problems as the repatriation of hundreds of thousands of war prisoners from Russia and other countries; the wiping out of the great epidemics in Central Europe that followed the war; the rescue and care of hundreds of thousands of refugees who were thrown out of Asia Minor as a result of the Greco-Turkish war; the rescue and identification of all the Armenian women and children who, as a result of the Turkish deportations of 1915, were separated from their families and scattered to the four winds of the Turkish empire; the launching of treaties regulating the white slave traffic and similar steps towards controlling the production and traffic of opium, cocaine and other harmful drugs.

During the first three years of the league's existence all of these humanitarian problems were either disposed of or gotten sufficiently out of the way, so that it became imperative for the league to find other fields of activity in order to maintain its great organization and efficiency, pending the day that it may be called on—possibly fifty years hence—to stay another great European war.

The past year therefore has marked the league's definite launching into the field of European reconstruction.

While it has not yet succeeded in getting into its hands such vital problems as reparations and war debts, it has, nevertheless, demonstrated that probably no better organization for the handling of all such problems exists in the world today than the league.

As a consequence, league members are confident that the day is not far distant when the Geneva organization will be entrusted with the problem as a whole of getting Europe back on its feet—and along with Europe, all of the rest of the world.

In this new field of European reconstruction, the league's greatest achievement of the year is that of the financial and economic reconstruction of Austria.

In less than a year after tackling the problem, the league had not only demonstrated that Austria can be made a self-supporting state, but had stabilized the latter's currency, started the budget onto a definite path of eventual equilibrium and rendered absolutely certain the financial and economic prosperity of Austria.

The close of the year was also marked by the launching of a simi-

lar project under league auspices for the financial and economic reconstruction of Hungary.

Next in importance towards the economic reconstruction of Europe was the taking over by the league of the problem of the indefinite settlement of over 1,000,000 refugees thrown back onto Europe from Asia Minor by the Greco-Turkish war.

These 1,000,000 people, who today have been merely a drain on the charity of Greece and the world at large, the league proposes to render not only self-supporting but actually wealth producing.

During the course of the year two great international conferences were also held by the league at which treaties were launched, signed by the leading nations of the world, tending to break down all barriers to international commerce and to develop international trade and intercourse to its fullest extent.

The first of these was a conference on customs formalities barriers and restrictions which in the past have rendered international trade almost impossible. Under the terms of these will all be reduced to the simplest proportions possible.

The second conference on transportation launched similar treaties covering both railway and maritime transportation and tending likewise to breaking down all restrictions to the greatest freedom and facility for the transportation of merchandise.

Treaties were also launched covering the development of international sources of water power and electrical energy on which the future development of many European states greatly depends.

Finally, as a result of its efforts towards disarmament and universal peace, the league was able to register during the past year an actual reduction in armament budgets of the great bulk of the European nations.

The league feels that during the past year it has not only played a great role in the problem of European reconstruction but that it has demonstrated its fitness to handle even great problems.

## PROBE DEMANDED IN ARMS SALE

Action Taken Following U. S. Plans to Aid Mexico

WASHINGTON—(United Press)—Demand for congressional investigation of "dollar diplomacy" involved in the agreement of the United States government to sell arms and ammunitions to the Obregon government of Mexico was made today by Representative Nelson, Wisconsin, leader of the progressive bloc.

At the same time developments indicated that the state department's announcement Saturday night that the arms would be sold, might have been premature.

Secretary of War Weeks indicated this after a long conference with Secretary Hughes. Weeks is opposed to selling the war material to Obregon, and told Hughes so.

"I do not approve of the United States furnishing arms to either side in Mexico," Nelson said. It is curious that the state department is now rushing to the aid of a government which so long it refused to recognize. Perhaps it would be well for congress to look into this phase of dollar diplomacy."

Weeks' conference with Hughes lasted more than an hour. At the end of it neither would discuss what was said, but Weeks explained that "premature announcements" might prove embarrassing to this government.

Shortly after the conference, Hughes went to the White house for a conference with President Coolidge.

#### JOY AT MEXICO CITY

MEXICO CITY—(United Press)—Enthusiasm in government circles knew no bounds today when word was spread that the United States had agreed to sell arms to President Obregon.

The announcement came as a surprise and it is generally held that the action of the Washington government means a speedy crushing of the rebels.

Several former service men of the A. E. F. are reported to have volunteered their services following the intimation that the government at Washington looked with favor upon Obregon's cause.

One American aviator is reported to have offered to furnish a plane.

President Obregon has returned such offers because he desires to inculcate a "hands off" policy for foreigners; also he believes his present army sufficient to cope with the situation.

## ENJOINED TROOP MAKES DEMAND

Held Up by Faurot Contract & Seeks to Show There

BOX OFFICE MAN NOTIFIED

Company to Appear Monday Night at Stage Entrance

Expected meeting between W. W. Clark, manager of the Faurot theater, and Charles V. Turner, owner of the "Styles and Smiles of 1924" show failed to materialize Monday morning.

Turner called at Clark's office bright and early, to notify him that he was ready and willing to play the house Monday night. The injunction granted Clark in court Saturday gave the show the right to appear at the house.

Manager Clark was not at the office, and had not appeared after a two hours' wait.

NOT LOCATED He could not be located elsewhere in the city. When Clark did not appear, Turner notified the box office man at the Faurot of his identity, and stated he was ready to show.

He informed the boxman that he would be at his hotel waiting word from Clark the rest of the day.

Turner then called on Clark's attorneys and informed them of his willingness to carry out the original contract. In explanation of his attitude, he said he took over the company Dec. 1, assuming a large indebtedness but not the contracts. He notified the Erlanger booking office at New York on that date that he would accept no further bookings.

Counsel told Clark they were not authorized to make an agreement with him in any manner.

GO TO STAGE DOOR Members of the Styles and Smiles company will appear at the Faurot stage door at 7 p. m., ready to give a performance, Turner said.

Copies of the court restraining order were served on management and members of the cast Sunday by deputy sheriffs.

Turner and principals in the cast were served on the stage at the Orpheum theater. Deputies had more trouble in locating members of the chorus. They were found quartered at various hotels in the city.

Most of the girls enjoyed the novelty of the affair, and "kidded" the deputies.

Unless Clark and Turner reach an agreement for appearance of the show at the Faurot Monday night, the curtain will go up on the initial performance at the Orpheum shortly after the break of the New Year.

Application for naturalization papers were filed in common pleas court Monday by Alois Hesch, 38, Austrian brick layer, 411 E. Franklin-st.

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## "MILK SICKNESS" CAUSE LEARNED

Living Things Have Their Own Day at Scientists Meeting  
INSECTS LOSE REPUTATION

Drouth Called Greatest Peril to Vegetation Life

CINCINNATI — (Associated Press) — The science of living things had its day today at the convention of the American Association for the Advancement of Science.

Mathematicians, physicists and anthropologists completed their group meetings Saturday and today zoologists, botanists and entomologists took up their discussions of plant and animal life.

Dr. C. Dwight Marsh, physiologist of the United States department of agriculture, told botanists of the discovery of the cause of an age-old disease, "milk-sickness" which affects man and animals alike.

A small weed known as white snake root, has been responsible for the malady which has prevailed in the central states for almost a century and which, according to historical records, was responsible for the death of Abraham Lincoln's mother. Cattle become affected by the disease thru eating the weed, experiments have shown and supposedly transmit it to man thru their milk.

DROUTH BEATS PESTS  
Crop damage from lack of rainfall contrary to general belief is almost five times as great as that done by myriads of insects which obtain sustenance from plant life, according to Dr. R. L. Weber, of the North Dakota Agriculture College.

Over a period of fourteen years deficiency in moisture caused 12.1 per cent of the crop losses, while only 2.5 per cent was attributed to insects. While dry weather of itself is the direct cause for heavy losses, it also increases the damage done by insects climatic conditions too has the effect upon the work of the insects.

Fights like men grow old and are attacked by senile degeneration, botanists learned from Dr. Harris M. Benedict of Cincinnati University. The sequoia tree lives a thousand years or more before senility attacks it while annual plants go thru the same process of life and finally degenerate in a short time, he said.

## LEAGUE GETS LOOK AT NEW TYPE

Czechoslovakian Diplomat Is Attracting Attention

GENEVA—(Associated Press) — The meeting in Paris of the council of the League of Nations has drawn attention to one of the striking personalities in European politics. He is Edouard Benes, the diplomatic leader of Czechoslovakia, and represents his country on the council.

Judged by the standards of Europe, he is a new type of foreign minister; not a calamity howler, a well informed man who believes that conditions gradually are getting better instead of worse.

Benes does not believe much in sitting in a leather desk and dictating orders to his ministers in foreign lands. When he has a big thing on his mind he goes to London, or to Paris or to Rome, and drops in on foreign secretaries and prime ministers to have a friendly chat and talk over things of mutual interest.

Nor does he talk too much. At the last assembly meeting Benes got the reputation of being rather a quiet man, who does a lot of hard and useful thinking before he opens his mouth. He has a good first-hand knowledge of European politics, and more particularly of European statesmen.

Benes first showed his ability when he maneuvered the desertion of the Czechoslovakian troops from Austria over to the side of Russia. And Benes is the architect of the little entente. He made the minority treaties workable by putting something constructively economic into them, and helped the League of Nations, of which he is an ardent advocate, build machinery where, minority population questions could be treated in an equitable manner.

He helped get the Austrian financial reconstruction problem before the league, and is now backing the proposed financial reconstruction of Hungary which is expected further to help in the restoration of Europe.

## SEVEN-WEEKS-OLD HEIR TO THRONE IS COLONEL

BELGRADE — The heir to the crown of Yugoslavia holds the distinction of being the youngest colonel in any army of the nations of the world. Having recently reached the age of seven weeks, his elevation to the military rank of regimental commander coincided with his christening.

Young Karageorgevitch took the record away from Jaime of Bourbon, of Madrid, the eldest son of King Alfonso, who was made a colonel upon celebrating his first birthday.

## HENRY WILLIAMS, 42, DIES AT HIS HOME IN DELPHOS

Henry Williams, 42, for the last 10 years a clerk at the Harvard Clothing Co., E. Market-st., died early Monday morning at his home in Delphos. Williams had been ill for three months although his condition was not considered serious until a week ago. Death was directly due to peritonitis.

Surviving are the parents, two brothers and two sisters, all residing in Delphos. Funeral arrangements have not been made.

EAT YOUR NEW YEAR TURKEY FIRST AT THE Y. M. C. A. CATERING.

## PROVING LUCK'S WAY IS PAVED WITH PREPARATION!



Into the primal forests go these government hat chery employes to plant thousands of fish eggs which in a summer or two will dangle as prize beauties from some Nimrod's line. The caravan shown here is wending its way to streams in Glacier National Park with milk cans full of myriad craylings and trout fingerlings.

## CHURCH WARFARE BREAKS ANEW

Christmas Truce Ended, Declares Modernist Leader

MORE HOT SHOTS FIRED

Gauntlet Thrown Down and Answered in Controversy

NEW YORK—(Associated Press) — Efforts to settle without recourse to public discussion the doctrinal controversy in the Protestant Episcopal church begun at a conference Friday at which modernist and conservative representatives were present, today appeared endangered by pulpits assertion yesterday that the Christmas truce requested in a diocesan letter from Bishop William T. Manning was at an end and that the interfaithful struggle would go on with renewed vigor. The Rev. Dr. Percy Stickney Grant, rector of the Church of the Ascension, a leading modernist whose views last year caused an open clash with Bishop Manning, declared the Christmas peace was over as far as he was concerned and expressed hope that the controversy would be neither "too much narrowed" nor "hushed up by secret conference."

Dr. Grant's criticism of the "autocratic power of the bishops" was met by a diametrically opposed view expressed by the Rev. Dr. Joseph H. G. Barry, rector of the Church of St. Mary the Virgin, who called on the bishops to discipline the modernist clergymen and asserted that Cain was the first modernist.

Dr. Guthrie speaks the Another in the ranks of the group which threw down the gauntlet let anew was Dr. William Norman Guthrie, rector of the Church of St. Mark's in the Bowery, who recently, was admonished by Bishop Manning about symbolic dances in his church.

"In my thirty years in the ministry I have never spoken this way before," said Dr. Guthrie, "but I am not going to let my brother get into trouble without going with him. And a good many of us are going to get into trouble." Dr. Guthrie referred to the story of "Jesus as the 'Christ myth,' which interested him as a historian but not as a minister. The Rev. Charles Francis Potter of the West Side Unitarian church predicted that the "old era of hell and devil of the cowardly evasion of truth will rapidly pass away and be supplanted by a newer and greater religion."

## IRISH FREE STATE FACES ECONOMIC PROBLEMS

DUBLIN — The Free State government is confronted with serious financial problems, and the finance minister has announced balancing of the budget can be accomplished only by placing strict economy, as taxation has reached the limit.

The daily has endorsed the economies on salaries of school teachers and out age pensions on the assurance that cuts are to be enforced in other departments.

Criticism has been directed at the expenditure caused by the change of government and the consequence that the Free State now is obliged to pay pensions to displaced British officials as well as the salaries of those appointed to succeed them.

It is hoped to effect a large saving in the expense of the army by reducing the present cost of more than \$50,000,000 to about \$26,000,000. It has been urged that Ireland does not need an army larger than that of Canada, which costs \$7,500,000.

The British government has allocated \$7,500,000 to provide house for the ex-soldiers. The fund is to be administered by a board of five members, three to be named by the British government and one each by the northern and southern governments of Ireland.

## ELIDA FUNERAL ARRANGED

Body of Nancy Stemen, former Elida resident, who died Saturday at the home of her brother, Dr. C. B. Stemen, of Ft. Wayne, Indiana, will be accompanied to Elida Tuesday for funeral services and burial. Services will be held at the Salem church, north of Elida, Tuesday at 1 p. m. Interment in church cemetery.

## AUTO TIRE STOLEN

Theft of a spare tire tube and rim from his automobile parked on W. North-st. Sunday night was reported to police by Norman O'Brien, 555 W. Spring-st. Suspicion is cast on two men who parked their car bearing an Illinois license back of O'Brien's car.

## Boy Killed While Imitating Movies

DAYTON—(Associated Press) — While imitating the movies, Stanley Burkhardt, 14, fell six stories to his death in the basement of a skyscraper here yesterday afternoon.

The boy and a youthful companion climbed to the sixth story of the Reibold office building and young Burkhardt said, "I'll show you a stunt that would knock 'em dead in the movies." He attempted to jump across a nine foot air duct between the main building and the annex. He cleared the distance successfully, according to Walter Buckles, 13, his companion, but was unable to hold onto the fire wall on the opposite side.

## HOLES IN STREETS MENACE AUTOS

Supply of Red Lanterns Gives Out at Police Station

Increased danger to motorists by sink holes on streets where sewers were installed within the past few months is indicated by police reports for the last two weeks.

With the continuous rain streets are reported in bad shape with many large holes and accidents have been narrowly averted. In many instances, it is claimed, red lanterns are not placed either by police or contractors in charge of the sewer jobs.

Sunday a number of automobiles were stuck on Kibby-st between Main and Central-av. in mud holes. Police were notified but did not have sufficient red lanterns at headquarters to place at the holes. Numbers of accidents were caused on Fourth-st recently by unlighted sand piles and at other places about the city police were forced to place danger signals over deep holes made by the rain.

## WISCONSIN TO CAMPAIGN TO BOOST ITS INSURANCE BUSINESS ON BIG SCALE

MADISON, Wis. — With a campaign of advertising which is expected to double the present list of policy holders, Wisconsin is going into the insurance business on a wholesale scale.

Pioneer in a number of other co-operative fields, Wisconsin has had for ten years a provision for a state life insurance fund, in which anyone may be insured at cost, but few policies were sold except to state employees.

With the recent appointment of W. Stanley Smith as insurance commissioner, a campaign was planned by which it is hoped that the present \$500,000 in policies outstanding will be raised to a million or a million and a half.

Wisconsin is the only state in the union to go into the insurance business, according to Smith, who was for many years representative of a large insurance company in Wisconsin.

No soliciting is done, thus eliminating the cost of agents. Any citizen of the state may make out an application for either \$500 or the \$1,000 policies sold by the state, and by simply mailing it to the office of the insurance commissioner, with the first premium, he is insured.

Premiums may be paid quarterly, semi-annually or annually, but to avoid interest charges, Smith advises payment on the annual basis.

Four types of premiums are sold. They are the ordinary life policy, the twenty-payment life policy, which is fully paid up after twenty years; the twenty-year endowment, and endowment at the age of 65.

The claims and accounts of the state life fund are passed upon and audited by the attorney general, state treasurer and commissioner of insurance. Besides saving agent's commissions and the salaries of office men, office rents are saved, as all the work of the fund is done in the state capital. The general fund in the state treasury is back of the life fund.

Wisconsin also has a fire insurance fund, as have a number of other states and cities. A statute requires all public buildings, state, city and county, to be insured in this fund. The fire fund totals almost \$35,000,000. The rates in the fire fund are approximately 75 per cent of those of regular companies.

STOCKHOLDERS MEETING  
Notice is hereby given of a meeting of the Stockholders of The First American Bank & Trust Company, Lima, Ohio, at its office, on Wednesday, January 3, 1924, at 3 o'clock p. m. for the purpose of the election of a Board of Directors and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

T. G. HARRIS, Cashier.

## CRIMINALS BREAK FOR LIBERTY

4 Convicts Make Sensational Escape from Atlanta Prison

ATLANTA—(Associated Press) — In the most sensational jail delivery in the history of the Atlanta Federal penitentiary, four convicts, one a partner of Gerald Chapman, million dollar mail bandit, are at liberty after having wormed their way to freedom thru a narrow fifty foot tunnel which ran under the concrete wall encircling the prison, late yesterday.

Of the quartet, the most notorious of the fugitives is George Anderson who is serving a 25 year sentence for participation in the \$1,000,000 New York mail robbery for which Chapman was convicted.

Three of the men were thought early today to be hiding near Macon, Ga. Three suspects were seen to alight from the Royal Palm, a tourist train, as it neared that city early this morning after a signal towerman here saw them swing on board the tender of the train near the penitentiary early last night.

The two negroes, Spurgeon Ruck and William Bettin, charged with killing Mrs. Latimer were in jail at Little Rock.

National guard machine gunners followed the riot atatcher yesterday. The ten negroes held on night riding charges were barricaded in a log cabin when the guardsmen reached only when the troops trained a machine gun on their stronghold.

The riot followed mob demonstrations at the jails here and at Van Buren Saturday, when several hundred men attempted to lynch Robert Bettin. One mob formed at Van Buren Saturday afternoon and dispersed only after they found the men had been spirited away. Two hours later a crowd formed here and threatened to storm the county jail.

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## KAISER'S FORMER HOME IS SOUP KITCHEN FOR BERLIN'S INTELLECTUALS

BERLIN — Mrs. Fritz Kreisler, the American wife of the Austrian violinist, and a number of other Austrian women have worked wonders in the kitchen of the old imperial palace overlooking the Spree in Berlin.

This kitchen, where the food of the Hohenzollerns was prepared for many generations, has been converted into a cheery dining room where middle-class Berliners may buy a mid-day meal at small cost.

Professors, actors, doctors, lawyers, scientists and writers now sit in the renovated rooms where Hohenzollerns used to give instructions about their food.

There is no air of charity about the middle-class feeding establishment, by the Austrian women. It isn't charity. They are merely assisting Berlin intellectuals to help themselves thru a hard winter. Flowers stand on dining tables in the great castle kitchen and volunteer workers assist in serving the food and giving an air of hospitality.

The meals are served only to persons who have tickets, and a small charge is made for these. Applicants are inspected by a committee to make sure that only congenial persons will be admitted to this meal center.

15 CENTS ADDED TO PRICE OF CRUDE OIL

PITTSBURGH — Fifteen cents was added to the price of six grades of crude oil when the market opened here today. Five grades were unchanged. The prices are:

Pennsylvania grade in New York Transit Company lines and Bradford district oil in National Transit Company lines \$3.25; Pennsylvania grade oil in National Transit, Southwestern, Pennsylvania, Eureka and Buckeye Pipe Line \$3.

BLUM'S HIGH CLASS DRESS-MAKING GUARANTEED. NO. 7, PHOENIX APT.

Watson handles coal cheaper from his new yard. Main 6509.

## HOWARD IS NEW ENVOY TO U. S.

British Ambassador to Succeed Geddes is Named

KELLOGG REACHES LONDON

Harvey's Successor Takes Up Duties in England

LONDON—(United Press) — Official announcement of the appointment of Sir Esme Howard to succeed Sir Auckland Geddes, as British ambassador to Washington, was made here simultaneously with the arrival of American Ambassador Kellogg, who took up his official duties at the embassy today as successor to George Harvey.

Sir Esme Howard, P. C., K. C. B., K. C. M. G., is at present British ambassador at Madrid. Sir Auckland Geddes is retiring because of defective eyesight. He is returning to Washington, first to arrange his affairs before resigning his post.

LABOR INCENSED

The labor press is incensed by the change of British ambassadors and even the Daily News, while not objecting to Sir Esme Howard personally, asks "Why the indecent hurry?" and wants to know if the Conservatives are afraid that a Labor government would appoint some Communist like the noisy Newbold.

Ambassador Kellogg arrived in the thickest and moistest of London fogs and went with Mrs. Kellogg to Claridges, where he will live temporarily. He announced he would be available to visitors immediately and that he would be at his work this morning.

## 11 ARRESTED IN RACE RIOT

Clash Results From Murder of Woman in Arkansas

FORT SMITH, Ark.—(Associated Press) — Quiet prevailed today in the Catches community, 25 miles from here, where a race riot late yesterday resulted in the serious wounding of one negro and the arrest of 11 others as the aftermath of the killing last Friday of Mrs. Robert Latimer.

Ten of the negroes arrested are in jail at Van Buren on charges of night riding. The eleventh prisoner was charged with having held up a party of white men with a pistol.

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## DOZ BIKES MAN

JOSH JONES, 447 N. Jackson-st., was bitten on the leg Sunday morning by a dog said to be owned by E. Hout, 652 N. Jackson-st., according to police reports. Jones said he was walking past the house when the dog ran out and grabbed him by the leg. Police ordered the owner to keep the canine tied.

## Child's Cough Saves Lives Of Many Persons

CLEVELAND—(United Press) — Two year old Marjorie Johler's attack of whooping cough early Sunday probably saved the lives of scores of persons when fire of undetermined origin claimed the life of one man, injured two, drove 30 families to the streets in night attire and caused damage estimate at more than \$300,000 to the four story Wellington apartments.

Baby Marjorie's severe attack of coughing aroused her grandmother, Mrs. W. T. Griffin, an occupant of the building, at about 5 a. m.

Mrs. Griffin caught the odor of smoke and the fire department was called. The fire lasted for more than 12 hours and was smouldering until about 6 p. m. Sunday.

Theodore Maxwell, 26, was killed in a leap from the arms of a fireman, who was helping him to the ground down a fire escape.

## 3,000 KILLED BY POISON LIQUOR

Toll Taken in Philadelphia in One Year Show

DISEASE TRACED TO BOOZE

Figures Given by Department of Vital Statistics

PHILADELPHIA—(United Press) — Poison liquor was responsible for three thousand deaths in Philadelphia during the year ending today, instead of \$75 deaths, the department of vital statistics shows, according to Dr. George H. H. Wells, professor of clinical medicine at Hahnemann medical college.

"Probably 65 per cent of the deaths today from hardening of the arteries, hardening of the liver and bright's disease, are the result of continued drinking of illegal booze," Dr. Wells said.

"Most of the deaths result from continued use, stretching over a period of months and when the victims die the death is recorded as due to various organic disorders."

VARIOUS POISONS

Dr. Wells, in a statement made public today, commenting on the report of the coroner's office that poison rum was directly responsible for 875 deaths here during 1923, said he made a study of illegal liquor and is convinced the public does not realize how many people are killed every year by the drinking of bootleg concoctions.

Virtually the only cases we hear about are those where the drinker falls dead while under the influence of the poison," he said. "Contrary to the popular belief, it is not the alcohol in the booze that is so harmful, but the various poisons, such as nitre, formalin, carbolic acid and bichloride of mercury. It is almost impossible for the amateur brewer with the ingredients he has at hand, to produce a beverage not containing a percentage of these poisons."

54 STILLS SEIZED

DAYTON—(United Press) — During the year closing tonight, Dayton police seized 54 stills, arrested 1,054 for being intoxicated and made 1,920 arrests for violating the liquor laws.

Last year 82 stills were seized, 1,888 were booked for being intoxicated and 682 were arrested under the dry laws.

## DOZ BIKES MAN

JOSH JONES, 447 N. Jackson-st., was bitten on the leg Sunday morning by a dog said to be owned by E. Hout, 652 N. Jackson-st., according to police reports. Jones said he was walking past the house when the dog ran out and grabbed him by the leg. Police ordered the owner to keep the canine tied.

STOLEN BIKES  
CLEVELAND—Safe robbers raided the furniture store of Conrad, Baisch and Kroehle early today and made off with approximately \$800. The safe was found opened and emptied of cash when clerks opened the store this morning.

YOU TH KILLED IN WRECK  
LANCASTER — The sixth traffic death of the year occurred here yesterday when Roscoe Cotterman, 19, of New Salem, died in the city hospital here of injuries received when his automobile was hit by a Toledo and Ohio Central freight train at Pleasantville.

STORE ROBBERED  
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## WHO WAS HE?

HERE is a mystery. In 1832 an artist took a block of marble and sculptured a bust of one of the great men of that period in the world's history. Since then this marble bust has been on exhibition in the museum of the Middlesex Hospital Medical School in England. Accompanying this editorial is a picture of the bust.



Some time ago, a visitor to the museum asked: "Who was this great man?" No one knew!

Now the London newspapers are printing pictures of the marble bust, trying to find out who the man was and what he did.

Isn't that irony? Great enough in his generation to be honored by a marble bust in a museum! Today no one knows who he was.

What do you make of all this, Watson? Well, Sherlock, it's safe to say this: The Unknown Man has had his personality and identity swallowed in the quicksands of time, just as will that of many Lima men and women be swallowed up in the generations to come. But, his work must live on influencing people of today in undetected ways, for he must have contributed a great service or thought, to have his bust placed in a leading medical museum.

His life's work is what counts, so it doesn't matter much that no one can identify him. We don't know who he was. Neither do we know thousands of humanity's greatest benefactors—for instance, the inventor of the needle, the hammer, the trowel, the button, etc.

People have been too busy erecting monuments and busts of military destroyers, to remember the really great.

As long as people admire and fawn over the destroyers, the constructors will be quickly forgotten and the destroyers will be permitted to continue their destruction. What a rotten indictment of humanity it is, that Napoleon will be remembered when men like Edison and Einstein will be forgotten!

## SHERLOCK HOLMES

CONAN DOYLE regrets that he created the world-famous Sherlock Holmes detective stories. Writing his memoirs in the Strand, an English magazine, Doyle confides that he is disappointed because his Sherlock Holmes yarns have eclipsed what he considers his more literary works such as "The White Company."

All this is amazing. The Sherlock Holmes stories and their dramatic rights are understood to have brought Doyle a million dollars.

Theatrical booking agents will nod their heads and repeat: "Yes, when the can sing, they want to dance. And when they can dance they want to sing."

The comedian, Eddie Foy, for many years nursed as his greatest ambition the desire to star as Hamlet. George Ade wanted to write tragedies—and got sidetracked. So it goes, all of us imagine we'd have done better if we had followed some other line of work—a peculiar form of self-hypnotism and delusion that is especially characteristic of successful men.

There's a saying that every man thinks he knows how to edit a better newspaper than any now published.

The life function or purpose of Conan Doyle unquestionably was the writing of the Sherlock Holmes stories. He started out as a physician in Edinburgh. He felt pulses and prescribed pills for eight years, his income in this time never exceeding \$1400 a year.

Then he wrote "Study in Scarlet," first of his detective thrillers—calling his hero Sherrinford Holmes. The name later was changed. Dr. Watson originally was known as Ormond Saker.

In all history, there have been only three enduringly great fictional detectives—Poe's Dupin, Gaboriau's Monsieur Lecoq and Doyle's Sherlock Holmes. These are the three greatest. Holmes brought Doyle a million dollars, they say. All international fame that will live, no one knows how many generations. We call that a big job well done.

New York man begged to be arrested. Cops refused. Such treatment indicates he is a bootlegger.

Bad news from Munich today. They must be getting hungry. A man bit off a woman's nose.

## 'ROUND LIMA HOUR BY HOUR

—WITH APOLOGIES—

BY OH. OH. JACKENRIM  
A Page from the Diary of An Antiquated Reporter: Lay long awake, puzzled by the posture of affairs, at the year-end. Who will be city manager; and who will be mayor; and why? And how much

## ABE MARTIN



Another thing I hold onto that'll worth for more than a good connection, is that school girl disposition. Why don't a doctor sit near the window to the theatre where he can sit out easy?

will the appraisers appraise the Colvin block?

Out and away afoot, bowing here and there. With greetings to and from Mrs. Clyde Butler, he, the original Rotarian in these parts, and she, looking the best I ever did see. At the post saluted by glib tidings from Brice Applas. Howbeit, matters are never so bad as they would forecast.

At the shoppe, whence came the old railroad and big Elk, Frank Hitchcock. And later, on the street saw Dutch Hiatt, in a new Buick cabriolet. Sam Harris and retiring Kommisher Breck. They do say there is a gambler's chance that M'sieur Bingham may carry with us another two years. There's Bill Reid, of the Loco, looking trim and fit.

Lunched on sporadic beef loaf, fried neatly; with potatoes au gratin. And no sweets this day. In the afternoon to Lewis' Place, for a trim by Jimmie. But he working his other trick. So, Gillette gets the profit on another half doz.

Frank Banta, the golfer, nursing a broken finger which he got in the way of a closed car door. People should learn how to handle their mowers, before given licenses by Jimmie Heffer. Jimmie was always promiscuous.

Warren McLaughlin, the underwriter, whose friends found nothing when they searched the house. Taking a few watches and clothes to cover up their tracks. This day decided to carry two bank accounts, one where I can overdraw, and one to pay bills.

Miles Standish, former mayor and noble Episcopalian, much worried. Over how the choir music will be changed if the Bishops decide differently about His birth.

In the afternoon, at my stint with some zeal, and much content. Saw Art Lugabill, the building material king, and George Cook, the politician. Frank Maue, the banker, on his way to Battle Creek.

Thither into the Fordtolet, and to a Tea Dansant. Where I stimulated an insouciance and naivete, I did not feel. It being my second offense in a winged collar for seven years.

Beauty everywhere. The Younger Set, God bless them. With their lily-white poise and aliveness. Clean-cut Americans. The coming governors and legislators. Albeit, some cooks. It is the feminine age, and a better age.

So home, and dined on an anti-kosher menu, the bacon a broiled jewel. And after playing on my musette, early to bed.

## BY GOLLY! THIS IS GETTING EXCITING



## SHORT ONES

The Pullman people have millions of blankets, yet they are short.

Fine training for a long trip on a Pullman is to sleep with your feet out a window.

Here's an alibi for salesman, "No orders today. Feet frozen on Pullman last night."

Next year is Leap Year, but candidates are already leaping at every chance they get.

That's the trouble with Pullmans. You may not be afraid to sleep, but you get cold feet.

Wilkes-Barre (Pa.) bank cashier and \$40,000 are missing, so he may be Christmas shopping.

Berlin zoo is feeding monkeys carrots instead of bananas. Another evil result of that song.

Perhaps the safest way of staying single during Leap Year is to be sure you have no auto.

Staying single during Leap Year will be difficult. Plan now. Look at the price of furniture.

People whose packages arrived late may like to know a Portland (Me.) postman got jailed.

Syracuse (N. Y.) couple have their second set of twins this year. Well, two at a time are cheaper.

News from London. Man found a white robin. Perhaps the bird belongs to the Ku Klux Klan.

News from London. Crows are stealing golf balls. Fair enough. Golfers always want birdies.

News from Paris. French women may be given the vote soon. This is one style Paris didn't set.

Big fog in Paris stopped traffic. Maybe it was so thick you couldn't see what you were drinking.

The British are polite. Members of Parliament have gotten out to give five more women seats.

## LIMA NEWS HEALTH SERVICE

Signed letters pertaining to personal health and hygiene, not to disease diagnosis or treatment, will be answered by Dr. Brady if a stamped, self-addressed envelope is enclosed. Letters should be brief, and written in ink. Address letters to Dr. William Brady, care of The News.

—BY DR. WILLIAM BRADY—

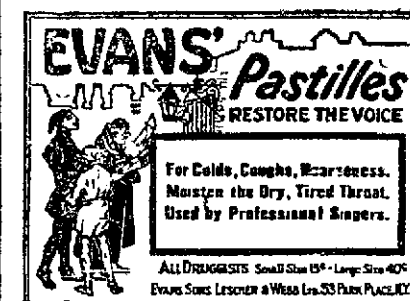
## THESE CLASSES CARRY HEALTH INSURANCE

Altho a lot of men imagine they are indispensable to their jobs, there are precious few jobs that are seriously interrupted by the passing of mere individuals. But when an individual undertakes an important job it is only fair and right for that individual to carry some health insurance as a sort of bond to do the work well. Take motherhood, for instance. The biggest job in the world, the noblest service, the highest calling—when a woman undertakes this job it is but fair and right for her to have health insurance, which, at least saves her from the perils of superstition. It is never too early for the prospective mother to have the counsel and guidance of the physician. In these days even the poor man's wife is entitled to health insurance in her preparation for maternity if she is a person of intelligence or spirit she will get this first and to maternity, even tho it costs friend husband the price of a tire. In many communities some kind of maternity care is furnished by the health department gratis to those who are unable to pay. The state considers even free maternity service good business.

Commissioned officers in the army are required to have a physical examination annually. The government provides the examination as a means of protecting the health of its officers. The government assumes that health insurance pays.

According to government figures the annual expenditure for medicines in the United States is five hundred millions, of which rather less than half goes to purchase medicines which really necessary. The other \$250,000,000, or a large part of it, must then be spent for medicines which are not really necessary—by folk who are trying to get along without health insurance and

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## THIS LITTLE WORLD

NEW ORLEANS

By MASON DIXON  
NEW ORLEANS, La.—(Special.)—In St. Charles avenue, a sweet-faced girl, wearing a poke bonnet, stands supported by a crutch. One of her legs has been amputated above



the knee. She is selling lead pencils and needles. The particular block where she makes her headquarters is the rendezvous of book-makers and gamblers.

As they pass, some say to bring them good luck, they nearly all throw money in a box at her feet. Now and then a bill is tossed into the receptacle. All of this occurs in the morning.

In the afternoon—a bobbed-haired, dapper flapper is yelling her head off to the racketeer. It is the big feature of the day. "Come on, you dog. I've got fifty dollars on your nose!" she shrieks. The dog loses.

The bobbed-haired flapper is the same girl who sold needles and pencils in St. Charles avenue. Her modest poke bonnet has been replaced with a Paris creation. An artificial leg has taken the place of the crutch. The bookmakers who gave their money away in the morning are getting it back in the afternoon.

If you want to have your fortune told, to the accompaniment of music and song and in verse, come to New Orleans. At the corner of Royal and Conti streets sits a bronzed old Frenchman. In his lap he holds an old guitar. You toss him a dollar, the music starts, he commences droning your fortune in verse, keeping in rhythm to the plaintive notes of his stringed instrument. The troubadours live again.

Major McShane recently received this letter from Steve Trumbull of Chicago:

"Please send me a photograph of the statue of Andrew Jackson in

historic old Jackson Square. I am trying to make good on a newspaper in Chicago. I am constantly being threatened with discharge because I cannot spell. Neither could I draw Jackson.

"I want to show his picture to



the editor and say to him: This old boy could neither spell nor write, but just look at what they've done for him in New Orleans."

If you want to be sure of proper attention after death, come to New Orleans and you'll be treated right. Dorothy Dix, well-known writer, and Grace King, novelist, have organized a society of no mean membership for the preservation of all tombs, the more ancient and the more honorable the greater the attention.

What's in a name?  
O. D. Jackson, federal prohibition director for Louisiana, has given the answer. In a recent report he shows that there is more bootlegging and more manufacturing of rum in Bourbon street than in any other part of New Orleans.

## A Thought

Wrath killeth the foolish man, and envy slayeth the silly one.—Job 5:2

Bad temper is its own scourge. Few things are bitterer than to feel bitter. A man's venom poisons himself more than his victim.—Charles Buxton.

## LEGAL NOTICE

Sealed bids will be received at the office of the Auditor of the City of Lima, Ohio, until 12:00 o'clock noon, Friday, December 25th, 1924, for the purchase of the following described bonds:

\$40,000.00 Lake Erie & Western and Wapakoneta Bonds, graded Crossing Elimination Bonds, dated January 1st, 1924, in denomination of Forty (40) Bonds of \$1,000.00 each, numbered from one (1) to forty (40) inclusive, maturing \$1,000.00 on the first day of July, 1925, and \$1,000.00 on the first day of January and July in each year thereafter until and including 1944, and \$1,000.00 on the first day of January, 1945. Said bonds bear interest at the rate of five and one-half (5½%) per cent per annum, payable semi-annually on the first day of January and the first day of July in each year until the principal sum is paid, beginning July 1, 1925. Said bonds are issued for the purpose of raising money to pay the city's proportion of the cost of the improvement consisting of the abolition of the grade crossing at the intersection of what is known as the Wapakoneta Road with the Railroad tracks of the Lake Erie and Western Railroad Company in the City of Lima, Ohio, and are issued under authority of Ordinance No. 1791, passed December 3rd, 1923, and section \$890 of the General Code of Ohio.

\$100,000.00 Intercepting and Outfall Sewer Bonds No. 2, dated January 1st, 1925, in denomination of \$1,000.00 each, numbered from one (1) to one hundred (100) inclusive; maturing \$2,000.00 on the first day of April, 1925, \$2,000.00 on the first day of October, 1925, and \$2000.00 on the first day of April and the first day of October in each year thereafter until and including October 1st 1949. Said bonds bear interest at the rate of five and one-half (5½%) per cent per annum, payable semi-annually on the first day of April and the first day of October of each and every year until all paid, beginning on the first day of April, 1925. Said bonds are issued for the purpose of paying the cost and expense of installing the necessary intercepting and outfall sewers along and adjacent to the Ottawa River, and are issued under authority of Ordinance No. 1795, passed December 10, 1923, and Section 1249, et seq including Section 1259 thereof of the General Code of Ohio.

Interest and principal of above bonds are payable at the depository office of the Sinking Fund Trustees of said City of Lima, at Lima, Ohio. Bids are to state the highest price that will be paid for above bonds and must be for at least par and accrued interest. Said bids must be accompanied by a certified check of a solvent bank or trust company, payable to the Treasurer of the City of Lima for an amount equal to two (2) per cent of the bonds bid for, the sum evidenced by said check to be retained by the City as security that the terms of the bid will be fulfilled. Bids should be for bonds with Lima delivery. The City reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to waive minor defects in the interest of the city. By order of the City Commission of the City of Lima, State of Ohio.

C. H. CHURCHILL, City Auditor.

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# Society News

## MRS. HUGHES IS HOSTESS AT ELKS' HOME

MRS. KENT W. HUGHES, Lakewood-av, entertained at an attractive one o'clock luncheon at the Elks' home on Monday afternoon, complimenting her houseguests, Mrs. W. J. Steckel, of Bloomfield, Iowa, and Mrs. Victor Arbogast, of Paris, France, who are the guests of her mother, Mrs. John Cover. Both Mrs. Steckel and Mrs. Arbogast formerly resided in this city.

A color scheme of pink and orchid prevailed in the table decorations. Platter baskets of pink roses and carnations were used, surrounded by pink candles in the crystal holders. Place cards and nut cups were of the same colors.

Following luncheon, an informal afternoon was enjoyed in the lounge of the club. Bridge and Mah Jongg were played.

Guests of Mrs. Hughes were the honored ones, Mrs. Steckel and Mrs. Arbogast, and Mrs. K. Bannister, Mrs. George Day, Mrs. Grace Enck, Mrs. Walter Jackson, Mrs. W. L. Parmenter, Mrs. Frank Harman, Mrs. A. B. Gray, Mrs. T. N. Cunningham, Mrs. Frank Baxley, Mrs. Henry Wemmer, Mrs. J. E. Sullivan, Mrs. C. T. Lufkin, Mrs. M. S. Thompson, Mrs. Grace B. Hollister, Mrs. W. L. Mackenzie, Mrs. E. M. Gooding, Mrs. M. P. Colt, Mrs. O. B. Selfridge, Mrs. T. D. McLaughlin, Mrs. H. S. Moulton, Mrs. Frank Maize, Mrs. Holmes Mackenzie, Mrs. John Cover, Miss Mary Boone, Mrs. J. C. Butcher, of Columbus, and Mrs. G. S. Spencer, of Cary.

Ralph P. Mackenzie, W. Market-st, presided at seven o'clock, dinner at the Hotel Barry Sunday evening, complimenting Miss Marion Vose, of Concord, New Hampshire. Covers were laid for twelve guests.

Miss Vose, who was the week-end guest of Miss Ruth Wells, W. Elm-st, is at present engaged in Y. W. C. A. work in Detroit, Mich.

Members of the Delta Omega Pi sorority and their guests were entertained at a Christmas party at the home of Miss Alice CaJacob, N. Baxter-st, Friday night. Dancing was enjoyed and a delicious two-course luncheon was served by the hostess, assisted by her mother, Mrs. A. C. CaJacob.

Those present were Misses Kumah Smith, Alice CaJacob, Elizabeth Lippincott, Ruby Gunther, Ethel Lotzoff and Mosses, Perry Webb, Louis Mauk, Frederick Roberts, Harold Smith, James Steiner, Robert Pettis, Rexford Mendenhall, Bernard Weadock, Roger Hawisher, Melville CaJacob and the hostess.

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## SOCIAL CALENDAR

### MONDAY EVENING

Dinner-dance, Elks home, 9 o'clock.

Dinner-dance, Norval hotel, 9 o'clock.

Elk Kavan Grotto New Year's Eve dance, Masonic hall, 9 o'clock.

Knight's of Pythias annual New Year's Eve dance, Castle hall, 9 o'clock.

Needlecraft club members and husbands to enjoy theater party at Quilina and dinner at Hotel Barry.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Allgire to entertain at "watch party."

Pleasure Seekers Euchre club "watch party." Miss Marjorie and Edith Campbell.

Noisette club members and husbands, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Stout, "watch party."

TUESDAY

Mercy Circle, postponed.

Day Nursery Board meeting, postponed one week.

Domestic Science club, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Black, 6 o'clock dinner.

One of the informal affairs of last week was the 6:30 o'clock dinner at the Barry hotel Sunday evening with Miss Bernice Thomas, Rice-av, and Miss Leta Meredith, Rice-av, presiding. Miss Thomas and Miss Meredith entertained members of a newly formed card club.

Following dinner, when covers were laid for twelve, five hundred and Mah Jongg were played.

Those present were Misses Sylvia Shaffner, Rowena Rousculp, Lois Vetter, Luzilla Berry, Lillian Weber, Ethel Maynard, Nora Detrick, Daisy and Elsie Parker, Mrs. Charles Grady and the hostesses.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Stout, Hazel-av, will entertain the members of the Noisette club at a "watch party" at their home, Monday evening.

Miss Isabelle Mackenzie, S. Collett-st, will open her home Saturday afternoon for the regular monthly meeting of the Daughters of America. Reception, election of delegates and alternates to the state conference and Continental congress, former to be held in Springfield early in March and the latter to be in Washington some time in April, will be named.

Assisting hostesses are Mrs. Alice Hill, Mrs. A. B. Gray and Mrs. Thomas D. McLaughlin. All members who find they can not attend the meeting are asked to notify the hostess.

Rev. E. Bruce Jacobs, pastor of the Calvary Reformed church, will speak at the meeting of the Research club to be held on Thursday with Mrs. Clark Miller, St. James-av, W. Spring-st. Rev. Jacobs will have as his subject, "The Never Changing Christ in an Ever Changing World." The meeting will be at two o'clock.

Miss Marjorie and Miss Edith Campbell, Oakland Park Place, will entertain with a New Year's "watch party" Monday evening, having as their guests, members of the Pleasure Seekers Euchre club.

A concert of chime music will be given on the chimes of Trinity M. E. church on Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The following program will be given: The Chime Peal; America; Come Thou Almighty King; Blest Be the Tie That Binds; All Hail the Power of Jesus Name; Drink to Me Only with Thine Eves; Believe Me If All Those Endearing Young Carous; Auld Lang Syne; Abide With Me; Adagio Fideles; Swanee River; My Old Kentucky Home; Old Black Joe; Joy to the World; Dooology and The Chime Peal.

It is expected a great number of people will park their machines near the church at that time Tuesday afternoon to enjoy the concert.

Mrs. C. E. Durbin, W. Elm-st, entertained informally at luncheon at her home, Monday afternoon. Covers were laid for Mrs. John Allgire and her sister, Miss Glenna Nichols of Piqua, and Mrs. W. C. Arbuthnot and guests, Mrs. Floyd Stage and daughter, Gloria, of Montpelier, Ind.

Mrs. Kent W. Hughes will receive at her home, 1231 Lakewood-av, Wednesday afternoon from three to six o'clock, honoring her houseguests, Mrs. N. W. Hughes and Mrs. W. J. Steckel, of Bloomfield, Iowa.

Mr. and Mrs. John Moore, Oak-st, have returned from spending Christmas week with their son, Durel, and family, of Canton. Mr. and Mrs. Moore also visited friends in Youngstown.

A group of relatives and friends gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Wikel, S. Jackson-st, Sunday, to assist Mr. John Hilly in celebrating his 54th birthday anniversary. Mr. Hilly is the father of Mrs. Wikel, the hostess. Following a several course dinner at noon, games and contests were enjoyed.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. William O. Wikel, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Brown and daughters, Misses Mary and Maud, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Hurley and daughter, Lucille, Mr. and Mrs. John Williams and daughter, Quetora and son, Delmore, Denver; Eltenberger, Isaac and Emmett Hilly; Miss Madeline Wikel and Miss Drusilla Wikel and Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Bathel, of Toledo.

The regular semi-monthly meeting of the Shakespeare club will be held on Thursday at 2:30 p. m. at the Public Library. Mrs. J. E. Collins will give an analysis and reading of Browning's "A Light Woman," and Mrs. Emmet Everett will give a selected reading from Acts I and II of "Love's Labour's Lost."

"Some Clues to the Foreign and Home Events of the End of the 16th Century" will be the subject of a paper by Mrs. E. C. Powell and Mrs. George Quail's paper will be "A Word Picture of Educational Life at this time."

A good attendance is desired at this meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. John Allgire, Elmwood-pl, will welcome a dozen friends to her home Monday evening for a New Year's Eve "watch party,"

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Lott and daughter, Mrs. Ethel Faurot-av, and "Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Levine and son, Jerome, of Bay City, Mich., are in Springfield, where they will attend the marriage of a son of Mr. and Mrs. Levine, Louis.

Elaborate arrangements are being made for the New Year's Eve dinner-dance to be held at the Hotel Norval, Monday evening. A several course dinner will be served at nine o'clock in the main dining room, with dancing between courses in the lounge and lobby of the hotel.

An out-of-town orchestra has been engaged to play for the dancing.

The meeting of the members of the Day Nursery Board has been postponed from January 1st until January 8th.

The pupils of Miss Minnette Fagan, teacher of voice, and Madame Horsch, teacher of piano, were presented in a joint recital Saturday evening in the lounge of the Lima House. The numbers given were each very delightful and following the program, a social hour was enjoyed.

Pupils of Madame Horsch, who appeared on the program, each playing two numbers, were Mary MacKenzie, Audrey McGriff, Josephine Pierce, Naomi Lippincott, Nell Fursell and James Kelly.

DELPHOS SOCIETY

MONDAY

Members of the 1917 sewing club will be entertained at the home of Mrs. Josephine Martin, E. Fifth-st, with a watch party, evening.

Card party and Dance given by the Knights of Columbus for the Knights and their ladies in lodge rooms, evening.

Dance given at the Tourist Park by the Snyder Brothers, evening.

WEDNESDAY

Members of the 1924 five hundred club will be entertained at the home of Mrs. Josephine Martin, E. Fifth-st, with a watch party, evening.

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## FARM INSTITUTE IS ARRANGED

Strong Program Is Planned for Putnam-co Farmers

ENTERTAINMENT IS PLANNED

Poultry Experts Will Present Latest Methods of Culture

OTTAWA — The program for the annual farmers' institute has been formulated and the two days sessions, with exception of the morning session, will be held January 9 and 10 in Tawa theatre.

State speakers will be Mrs. May H. Mumaw, H. P. Miller and E. L. Deken. The former will discuss topics of interest to the women. Miller and Deken will give readings. The high school orchestra will play.

The remaining sessions will be held in Tawa theatre. Mrs. Mumaw will talk at the first afternoon session on "The Farm Woman," and Miller will have for his subject, "The Cow, Her Care."

Miss Mary Long will sing. Miss Evangeline Shelby will give a reading. Mr. Richard Egan will sing and there will be a cornet duet by Wilbur Light and Leroy Wilson. At that session appointment of committees will be made.

ENTERTAINMENT

The session on Wednesday night will take the form of lighter subjects and an interesting array of musical and literary numbers will be presented.

Miss Frances Heckford will give a reading, "Legend Beautiful." Miss Catherine Steier will read, "The American Flag." Miss Hilda Fisher will give a reading, "The High School Orchestra," provide musical numbers.

Mrs. Mumaw will have for her subject, "The Old Farm Home" and subject, "The Principles and Methods of Live Stock Improvement."

A playlet, "America Beautiful," will be presented at the Thursday morning session by the Misses Florence Morman, Ida Schenck, Marcella Kern, Lucille Kuntz, Elsie Unterbrink and Martha Bentler.

Readings will be given by Miss Marie Gerleman on "Excelsior," Miss Wilfred Schumaker on "The Wanted," and Miss Mary Roof on "The Bald-Headed Man."

E. L. Deken, poultry expert, and state speakers who have been engaged for the second day, will talk on "Disinfecting," "The Farm Home," subject, "The Principles and Methods of Live Stock Improvement." At this session J. W. Hencroth, Putnam-co agricultural agent, also will address the institute.

Selection of officers will mark the close of the Thursday afternoon session. State Speaker Deken will have for his subject, "Poultry Farm Management," and Miller will speak on "A Program for Organization." The Misses Helen Summers and Kathryn Jones will give a vocal duet, Miss Fern Steinhour and Cleona Blymyer will present "The Spider and the Fly." Miss Jane Miller will give a piano solo and Miss Marjorie McDowell will sing.

According to those in charge of the meetings the program is one of the most interesting, not only from a musical and literary point of view, but from a point of topics of state speakers, ever presented to an Ottawa institute.

MRS. LYDIA CRIDER DIES AT HOME IN DELPHOS

DELPHOS — Mrs. Lydia Crider died at her home on S. Washington-st, Saturday. She was married to Larry Crider in 1869. To this union one daughter, Mrs. A. T. Hendrick, of S. Washington-st.

Thirty years ago she was married to Mr.







# ALL IS READY FOR INTERSECTIONAL GRID BATTLE

## Football Mentors Adjourn Without Taking Definite Action To Change Rules

### Westerners Believe Washington Will Prove Masters Of Navy Team

PASADENA—(United Press)—True to the optimistic, aggressive spirit which characterizes Pacific coast football, sport followers here are predicting that the University of Washington will defeat the Navy eleven in the intersectional gridiron classic New Year's Day at the Rose Bowl here, part of the Tournament of Roses Celebration.

Famous football coaches from all parts of the country are coming and the crowd, it is expected, will reach 100,000. No particular title is at stake, but the natural rivalry between the East and West will be concentrated on this struggle.

It isn't any certainty that Washington is going to win, however much the Westerners are confident. Comparison of the teams is a difficult task, but local fans point out that Washington is the second best on the Coast, while the Navy is rated about thirteenth among the Eastern eleven. All this doesn't prove much, because of the entirely different type of football played on the Atlantic Coast.

**EACH TEAM DEFEATED**  
The Navy was defeated once this year and played two tie games. Penn State gave the Middles a 21 to 3 lacing, while the games with the Army and Princeton were ties.

Washington also had fallen once. The California Bears trounced them 9 to 0—not at all an imposing score.

A victory means a lot to Coast football for if Washington should lose it would set back the Western game in the eyes of the East. Struggling for many seasons to gain recognition, the West has finally come into its own. New York sporting writers acknowledge that on the other side of the Hudson River there are many good football teams. Oregon's defeat of Penn State and the later game with Harvard did a lot to impress the Eastern fans.

### EFFECT OF CLIMATE

The change to the warm California climate is expected to have a bad effect upon the Middles, for they won't have time to get acclimated. But then Washington also will be handicapped by the transition, so

things will be about even on that score.

Seven of the greatest football coaches in the country will be here New Year's—Glenn Warner, former Pittsburgh mentor, but now of Stanford; Zuppke, Illinois; Tad Jones, Yale, and his brother Howard, of Iowa; Fred Dawson, Nebraska; Rockne, Notre Dame; Andy Smith, Princeton.

The season's scores of both teams follow.

Washington	Opponent
54-Williamette	0
19-Whitman	0
22-1 S. C.	0
24-Puget Sound	0
14-Oregon Aggies	0
26-Montana	14
0-California	9
24-Washington State	7
182-Totals	39

Navy	Opponent
39-William and Mary	10
13-Dickinson	7
26-West Va. Wesleyan	7
3-Penn State	21
3-Princeton	2
0-Colgate	0
61-St. Xavier	0
0-Army	0
154-Totals	48

California, and, perhaps, Fielding "Hurly Up" Yost, Michigan.

Several Coast coaches plan on seeing the game, including Andy Kerr, formerly head coach at Stanford; Exendine, Washington State College; Matthews, Idaho; Dorais, Gonzaga, and possibly Shv Huntington, who resigned at the University of Oregon.

### TEX O'ROURKE BELIEVES THERE ARE GOOD HEAVENS IN ENGLAND—IS MAKING PROGRESS

By JOE WILLIAMS  
Tex O'Rourke, an American gentleman of the English persuasion, is overseas trying to put the English heavyweight situation back on its feet.

If you happen to be acquainted with the English heavyweight situation, even from a discreet distance, you will readily concede that it needs to be put back on its feet.

It has been a great number of years since England has had a heavy weight capable of remaining on his feet for any appreciable length of time.

The art of fighting as practiced by Bombarrier, Joe, Joseph Beckett, Fighting Dick, and other modern English heavyweights in the past has consisted largely of taking a robust sock on the "bushers" and dropping gracefully to the canvas.

No English heavyweight looks natural any more unless he is stretched out full length on the floor listening to the soul-satisfying count of the referee.

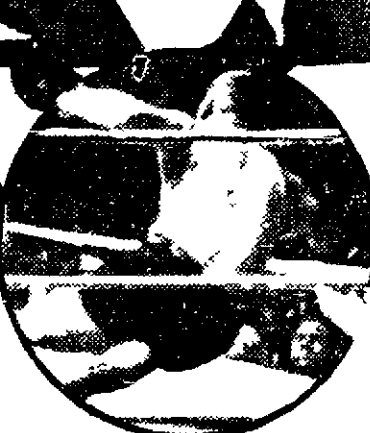
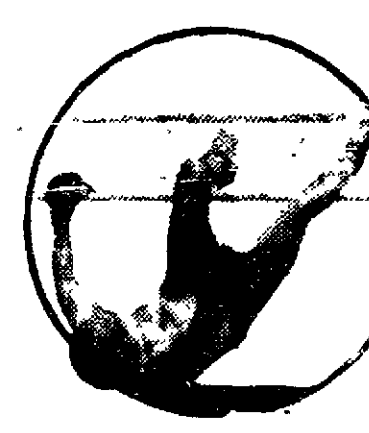
And the art of finding things about O'Rourke is that England's heavyweights in the olden days ruled the world's fight scene.

Historians have told you about James Figg, the first ring champion; Jim Belcher, one of the first of the scientific school; Tom Cribb, a marvel in his time; Tom Sayers, possibly the greatest of all English title holders, and Charley Mitchell, a middleweight who held the great John L. even in a bout that lasted more than three hours.

It is difficult to reconcile the glorious traditions of the English prize fight with the cold, clammy realities of the present.

The courageous Mr. O'Rourke has gone over there to find out what the matter is. We hear that he is making satisfactory progress, having established a cauliflower clinic on the outskirts of London and recruited a small army of non-collapsible

### O'ROURKE And Some of the Tumbling Tommyes Who Have Lowered the British Ring Dignity.



The one favorable law in the O'Rourke camp is that no fighter can drop without actually having been hit.

Seriously, O'Rourke believes he has merited three promising prospects, and expects to turn them loose in the professional rings against second-rate fighters very shortly.

The three are all youngsters who stand 5 feet in height and weigh in the desired neighborhood of 190 pounds.

**THREE YOUNG COMERS**  
Joseph Ingelton was a policeman in Liverpool until O'Rourke found him, William Prestage was a boilermaker, and Leslie Price an assistant in the management of his father's hotel. None of them has ever done any fighting. They have the build, the "looks" and a desire to box, so the American took them on.

Naturally O'Rourke is teaching his British pupils the American system of boxing. And what is probably more important, the American system of training. O'Rourke doesn't get a terrific kick out of the English idea of stopping for tea at 4 o'clock, or inhaling a few cigarettes to soothe ruffled nerves.

"I make them spend the morning doing road work," O'Rourke writes, "and the afternoon in the ring fighting."

However, a note of melancholy creeps into O'Rourke's words when he says any one of his three star pupils is good enough to beat Beckett right now.

You can imagine how much farther the boys must come yet in order to whip great fighters.

### White Sox to Play Only Majors

CHICAGO. — (Associated Press.)—Only games with major league clubs will be played by the Chicago White Sox this spring if the present schedule is maintained. It was announced today. This will be the first time that minor leaguers have been omitted from the exhibition program of the White Sox.

With nine major league clubs training in Florida and close by next spring a number of inter-league games already have been listed. The White Sox announced six games with the Boston, St. Louis and Philadelphia clubs of the National League and as they will "team" with the New York Giants on their northward journey as in previous years, only about six dates remain open.

The balance of the White Sox schedule will be filled as soon as it is definitely decided where the Giants will train.

The White Sox are scheduled to leave for their camp at Winter Haven, Fla., about February 29.

### WOMEN EAGERLY SEEK D. A. R. MEMBERSHIPS

WASHINGTON—So many women are applying for membership in the Daughters of the American Revolution that special facilities have been called into service to pass on membership petitions.

Recently the board of the organization held a special meeting here at which 16 new chapters, having a combined membership of more than 1,600, were granted charters. It is estimated that a total of about 1,000,000 women are eligible to be members, and officials of the D. A. R. predict that if the present rate is maintained most of the eligible will be brought within the organization within the next few years. The total enrollment now is approaching the 200,000 mark.

"With all the cults and isms that are being formed," said a statement issued from D. A. R. headquarters here, "it is very gratifying to the Board to see women flocking to this old organization that stands for the best there is in American life, for upholding the constitution, for unswerving loyalty to the government, or encouraging the study of American history and for carrying out the injunction of Washington—to promote, as an object of primary importance, institutions for the general diffusion of knowledge."

### PATIENT HELD AS DRUNK FOR DISTURBING OTHERS

Slater Batts, 323 W. Wayne-st., was arrested Sunday night at City hospital on an intoxication charge after a complaint had been entered by the night superintendent that the man was keeping other patients awake.

The man was entered at the hospital Dr. V. H. Dal, according to a report made by Sergeant Grant, the arresting officer.

McGraw says he wasn't sick at all while crossing the ocean, proving that he was able to divorce his mind entirely from his pitching staff.

Yes, Watson has moved? Just out of the D. T. & I. Rev. on Kibby Main 6500.

### PROS, AMS AND SICH



A Paris sprinter ate horse meat and won a 100-yard dash. \* \* \* Now he will start eating elephant chops and go in for the marathon.

Hans Wagner, eminent author, writes that all left handers are not eccentric. \* \* \* Of course not, many of them are just plain nuts.

If the January white sales don't develop an opponent for Harry Wills he might as well pack up his gloves and quit for good.

The announcement that first prize in the New York exhibit went to a lavender-blue Persian cat is incomplete. \* \* \* It fails to reveal what the judges drank.

No matter how short they make the new schedule, it threatens to be much too long for the fans in Boston and Philadelphia.

We are told that the prize fighting game is in danger of being killed by bad decisions. \* \* \* We trust this is more than just a promise.

Mothers and daughters will play in a golf tournament next summer. \* \* \* If a reporter makes the error of mistaking one of the mothers for her daughter he will not be asked to correct it.

Radium is now selling at \$35,000.00 a pound. \* \* \* It will soon be as rare as natural complexion and good curve-ball pitchers.

Winning Lorse in Havana paid \$702.90 for a \$2 ticket. \* \* \* This will do much to revive faith in the belief that bunnies lay Easter eggs.

About the only good we can see in this religious debate between the modernists and the fundamentalists is that it is gradually forcing the Mah Jongg scores out of the papers.

### In One Court 36 Years

RAD AXEL, Mich. — (Special) — For 36 years Judge Watson Beach held court in a gloomy, dust-laden ramshackle building here. Nowhere else had he ever presided as jurist of the Twenty-fourth judicial circuit of the state of Michigan.

Nowhere else will he act as Judge. He has handed in his resignation, to be effective Jan. 1.

Deadly long, monotonous grind in the same musty courtroom, Judge Beach, who is 83, looks back upon it as a cheerful experience. He trained many an attorney who is still practicing in the same court. And his successor, "Ken" Bloomhower, is a protégé of his.

And he can't keep away from the courtroom. He expects to return every now and then, even if only as a spectator.

### AS A MATTER OF FACT

John J. McGraw and John Montgomery Ward are close friends, as a matter of fact John Montgomery is attorney for John J. Sometimes there is not so much in a name, but in this instance the name of this attorney brings to memory many stirring incidents of the great national pastime, memorable episodes of the pioneer days of baseball and the old National league.

And there is also brought to the fore proofs that John J. still sticks to his old friends. There are many incidents to prove this—his old team mate Hughie Jennings, his kindly action to his old pitches Rusie among them—and it's a manly trait, shows that the friendship is pure.

Ward name brings memories of the past. He was a great player and an honor to his profession.

Ward was a pitcher with the old Providence team back in 1878. The club finished in third place that year, but in the following year, 1879, it was thru the excellent pitching of Ward as much as to any other individual player, that they won the league championship that season forty five years ago.

It was in 1883, when James Mutrie, first manager, assisted by John B. Day, selected the best of the Troy team and got together what was the nucleus of the team to be the Giants. There were players on that team which helped build baseball to great prominence and to make of it the great national pastime. Prominent among them were "Buck" Ewing, Pitcher "Mickey" Welch, Roger Connors, John Montgomery Ward was gotten from Providence and fitted in that organization with exactness. He came with "Tip" O'Neil, who was discovered among the sand lots of the metropolis. They were added to the pitching staff.

New York had become particularly prominent in baseball; the same spirit prevailed in those days as it does now. New York was never satisfied with a losing team. As became the feeling of the largest city nothing sufficed but a winner, with the consequence that the distinction of harboring some of the most famous players of all times is bestowed on New York city. It is perhaps thru its progressiveness in the national game that it holds the record of attendance; that its earnings and profits are greater than any other club.

It was in 1884 that Ward abandoned the box for an infield position. He had finally found his level. He had been complaining of a sore arm, which had prevented him from doing justice to the position. He had become famous as a pitcher for the Providence team from 1878 to 1882. He reached the goal of all pitchers in those days as it is today; he shut out the Buffalo team without a hit or a player reaching first base.

But he was not alone a great pitcher but became famous as an infielder, especially at short, a position at which he gained much distinction.

McGraw and Ward even after many years are still fast friends.

### BOWLING

A very interesting double ended last Saturday night was the one between Purbit and Miller and Haides and Durban. The match was for ten games, five ended at the Recreation and five at the Dixie alley. The latter team won by the narrow margin of 12 pins.

**Double and Single Tournament**  
Recreation Alley  
Until Jan. 3. The leaders in each even to date are:

Double	Singles
Goodrich and Stopleton	172
Willet and Noyes	1418
Goodie and Perry	1092
Levenson and Frank	1070
McFarland and Dyke	1057

Double	Singles
Willet and Stopleton	618
Stopleton and Noyes	592
Goodrich and Noyes	570
Levenson and Frank	558
McFarland and Dyke	546

All Events  
Willet and Stopleton 1124  
Goodrich and Stopleton 1112

### AMONG THE CAGERS

GRACE VS. ST. MARYS

As the main feature of its New Year's program the Y. M. C. A. will put its basketball team on the floor Tuesday night against the five from the Grace M. E. church. It will be the second game of the season for the "Y" quintet which lost its first contest last week to the All College team.

Preceding the game will be two swimming exhibitions and the game will therefore not begin until 8 15 o'clock. No admission fee will be charged.

### LEADS AT ST. MARYS

The Lima Leads, claimants to the independent championship of the city, will play one of the hardest games on their schedule at St. Marys Tuesday night when they meet the last St. Marys Cadets on the hardwood.

The game should give Lima fans some hope as to the relative strength of the Leads and the Lima Business College, who are to play a three-game series in February to decide the championship of Lima. The Business College defeated the Cadets here by a 24-18 score; the Lima Collegians were defeated by the Cadets at St. Marys, 24-25; and the Business College won over the Collegians 24-18. By a decisive win over the Cadets on their own floor the Leads can thus prove their superiority over the Business College.

**ST. JOHNS VS. COLLEGIANS**  
Monday night at the St. Johns High gym, the high school cagers will meet the St. Johns Collegians in the second game played between the two teams during the Christmas vacation.

The first game, which resulted in a 11-10 win for the high school men, was protested by the Collegians who want this return game. It will start at 9 o'clock, preceded by a good preliminary.

St. Johns will use Captain Kayser and Farley at the forwards, Bruin center, Johnson and Schrick guards. The Collegians will use Captain Schimpf, of Ohio State, and Ford, of St. Joseph College, forwards; Falk, Cincinnati University, center; Miller, Toledo University, and Eberman, St. Joseph College, guards.

### New Year's A Birthday For Racers

CHICAGO — In each of the 5,700 stables housing a horde of horses there was the occasion for a birthday celebration Monday.

For the new year brought with it another year added to the age of every one of this country's race horses, regardless of the time of foaling. Thus Zez, the greatest of 1923 year olds entered the four year old handicap class today because of the arbitrary birthday of horses established to bring uniformity of classification of the racers.

Likewise in Memoriam and My Own took on an added year and became four year olds. A class of nearly 300 yearlings became two year olds and will get the first competition of their lives during the coming season.

It is explained by followers of the sport that the uniform horse birth date was first established in order to make classification of races more uniform.

### Wilce Of Ohio State Elected Secretary Of Football Coaches

ATLANTA — (Associated Press) — The convention of the Football Coaches' Association, adjourned without formal action on the recommendations made regarding proposed changes in the football rules suggested.

Officers were announced as follows: J. W. Heiman of Washington and Jefferson, President; Robert Zuppke of the University of Illinois, first vice-president and Dr. J. W. Wilce, of Ohio State University, secretary-treasurer. The following were named as trustees: Gil Doble of Cornell; Knute Rockne of Notre Dame; D. X. Bible of Texas Agricultural and Mechanical College, and W. H. Cowell of the University of New Hampshire.

Major John W. Griffith, commissioner of athletics in the Western conference, told the Football coaches at a banquet that:

"If the purpose of education is to improve the human race as 'educational psychologists tell us,' then it must be agreed that the football coach has an important place in the educational system. Approximately 1,000,000 boys played football last fall," he said "under the tutelage of about 15,000 coaches."

"These coaches," he added, "had it within their power to affect tremendously for good or bad this army of American boys."

"Any one who cares to go into the subject will find," Major Griffith declared, "that training on our varsity teams does benefit the men who play." He added that "the thing is often overlooked, however, is the fact that the team is a stimulus to others and that more boys must be attracted to athletics because of the example set by the good performers than would do so if we did not have our intercollegiate contest."

"The real purpose of football, however," Major Griffith said, "is not that of making a better race physically. Important as that may be, Football is the medium thru which we as people are learning things that are vital in developing better manners and better morals."

### WHAT CHANCES HAS A COLLEGE BALL PLAYER AMONG LEAGUERS?

Is professional baseball a good field for the college graduate who has starred on the diamond for his alma mater? Recently Fielding Yost, director of athletics at Michigan, came out strongly against such a move on the part of the star college ball player. He dwelled on the fact that there was only one Sisler. I have the greatest admiration for Yost as a man, and a similar feeling for his judgment on all things pertaining to athletics. However, his statement was a very broad one that possibly should have had some limitations.

Unless a college player was able to hold his own in the major leagues, I agree with Yost that entering professional baseball would be a mistake.

Mr. Yost points out the fact that a baseball career at best is a short one and that a college graduate who spent the same time in the field for merely far more than the extra compensation received from playing ball. True, the career of a ball player is usually short, but then there is Eddie Collins, who has been at it for about 16 years and is still a star. It would be possible to point out a score of cases similar to Collins.

It strikes me that a college baseball star, capable of delivering as a regular in the big show, will make no mistake if he decides to spend a couple or more years in the majors.

While a baseball career may have many drawbacks, it has its certain advantages, financially at least, and very often this one advantage offers a stepping stone to greater things in the field for which the collegian was educated. The first 100 years are always the hardest. The first four or five years for the average struggling collegian in any business seems just like an even 100. A baseball career often breaches over this chasm and gets the "Rah, Rah" athlete off to a flying start in his chosen profession.

The case of Hinkie Haines, former baseball and football star at Penn State, is a striking example of the truth I am trying to bring out relative to the collegian taking a whirl at big league ball.

Haines last year as a substitute outfielder for the New York Yankees received a salary of about \$4000. That is a mere guess. It may have been more, surely no less. For his share of the world series he received over \$6000. Thus for his season with the New York Yankees six months Haines received better than \$10,000. Rather a nice nest egg for some collegian with ambitions to shine as a lawyer, doctor or engineer. It would tide him over many lean days as he waited for clients or patients.

Perhaps Mr. Yost is right in his contention that professional ball is not a good field for the college star. However, there is no denying the fact that any player capable of delivering in the big show could use a few years' salary to decided advantage as a stepping stone to greater things in other fields.

### Foreign Pugs Hornsby Deal Will Battle Here Called Off By Giants

NEW YORK — Invasion of America's fistie realms by foreign boxers after setting a new high mark in 1923, promises another record in the new year.

Prospects of profitable matches in this country have attracted ambitious talent from Europe and South America, the latter sending two formidable candidates for honors in Luis Angel Firpo, Argentine heavy-weight and Luis Vicentini, Chilean lightweight. Two European champions already are in this country seeking laurels, a third is due early in January while others have come in search of ring prominence despite lack of titles.

Within the last few weeks two titling Britishers have arrived—Roland Todd, European middle-weight champion, and Harry Mason, wearer of the European lightweight laurels last summer, defeated by Tommy Loughran, Philadelphia light heavy-weight in a debut here, largely because of handicap in weight, height and reach. Mason has yet to show his fistie wares.

Ermno Spalla of Italy, European heavy-weight champion, will join the invading ranks within a fortnight when he arrives to prepare for a match with Gene Tunney, American light heavy-weight champion slated for February 1.

A fourth European champion—Edouard Mascart of France, feather-weight titleholder, may come here in the spring to seek a match against Johnny Dundee, the Italian-American who wrestled the feather-weight laurels last summer from another Frenchman, Eugene Criqui.

Georgia Carpentier from another fistie venture in America early in 1924 to meet leading American high heavyweights. While Battling Sikl, Senegalese conqueror of Georges, already is touring this country.

Firpo looks by far as the most dangerous invader. This "Wild Bull of the Pampas," who knocked Jack Dempsey out of the ring before finally going down to defeat last September at the Polo Grounds, will return to the United States probably to campaign for another title match.

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## IN LIMA THEATRES

### STAGE AND SCREEN OFFERINGS

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(By GERTRUDE GILLHAM)  
New Year's Day brings two new films to local cinema screens. "Mothers-in-Law" with Gaston Glass and Ruth Clifford, opens a four day engagement at the Sigma theatre. The majestic will show the Paramount picture, "Grumpy" as its holiday attraction. In the excellent cast are Theodore Roberts, May McAvoy and Conrad Nagel.

"Rosita," starring Mary Pickford, continues at the Lyric theatre and is a splendid attraction with which to start the new year. A swiftly moving comedy drama of the Wally Reid type is "The Drivin' Fool," offering again Monday and Tuesday. It is "The Drivin' Fool," with Wally Van, Patsy Ruth Miller and Alec B. Francis in the leading roles. "The Thrill Chaser," starring Hoot Gibson, is the Rialto's picture for four days starting Tuesday.

"The Drivin' Fool," Quilna  
SPEED is the dominant quality of "The Drivin' Fool" at the Quilna until Wednesday. The story is set in the familiar mold of the late Wally Reid's speed demon films and is good entertainment.

The picture was adapted from the story by W. F. Sturm and revolves about a young fellow whose mania for fast driving gets him into all kinds of scrap. He undertakes to drive from coast to coast to deliver a check for \$500,000 in New York by a certain time. If the money is not forthcoming on the dot, the young business in San Francisco, owned by the fathers of the heroine, will pass into the hands of a scowling Wall Street magnate.

Hal Lock volunteers to make the coast-to-coast marathon in a week. As a result of a railroad strike an airplane is suggested, but that it is not dependable. To add spice to the adventurous journey, Hal's hope of winning the beautiful heroine depends on his success at the wheel. Adequate suspense is furnished by the efforts of the Wall Street agents to block the hero at least once in every state that he traverses.

The motorist is joined unexpectedly by Horatio Jackson Lee St. James, an ample dandy, who is as comical as he is loyal to his adventurous boss.

There is more good scenery than setting in the picture, but as most of the film is devoted to the thrilling cross country trip, this is not prejudicial to the entertaining qualities. Wally Van has the role of Hal Locke, Patsy Miller is the heroine and Alec B. Francis, her father. Best of all in the cast is Jesse J. Aldrich, the colored man.

A series of the Leather Pushers and Quilna News are preliminary attractions.

### BANKRUPTCY PETITION FILED BY CAFE OWNER AS U. S. CLOSES PLACE

Passing of one of the best known soft drink cafes in the city was seen Monday, with the announcement by Attorney William Sutton that a petition in bankruptcy will probably be filed in federal court at Toledo by Eli Breuninger, E. Wayne-st, soft drink cafe proprietor.

The cafe has been closed for weeks by a court execution of indebtedness and will not be reopened by Breuninger, who faces federal court charges of violation of the liquor law, his attorney announced.

Case of C. W. Cole, E. Market-st, soft drink cafe proprietor, arrested by federal agents in a raid here one month ago, will come up in Toledo Federal court on Wednesday. Cole is at liberty on bail, it is understood.

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### ENGLISH TRADE WITH FREE STATE INCREASES

#### LONDON—The imports from the

Irish Free State into Great Britain for October showed an increase of 83 per cent as compared with the average for the first nine months of the year. While the export trade

with the Free State also showed an increase it amounts to only about half the value of the imports.

The total figures of both the imports and exports to this dominion are more than ten times greater than they were two years ago. The

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